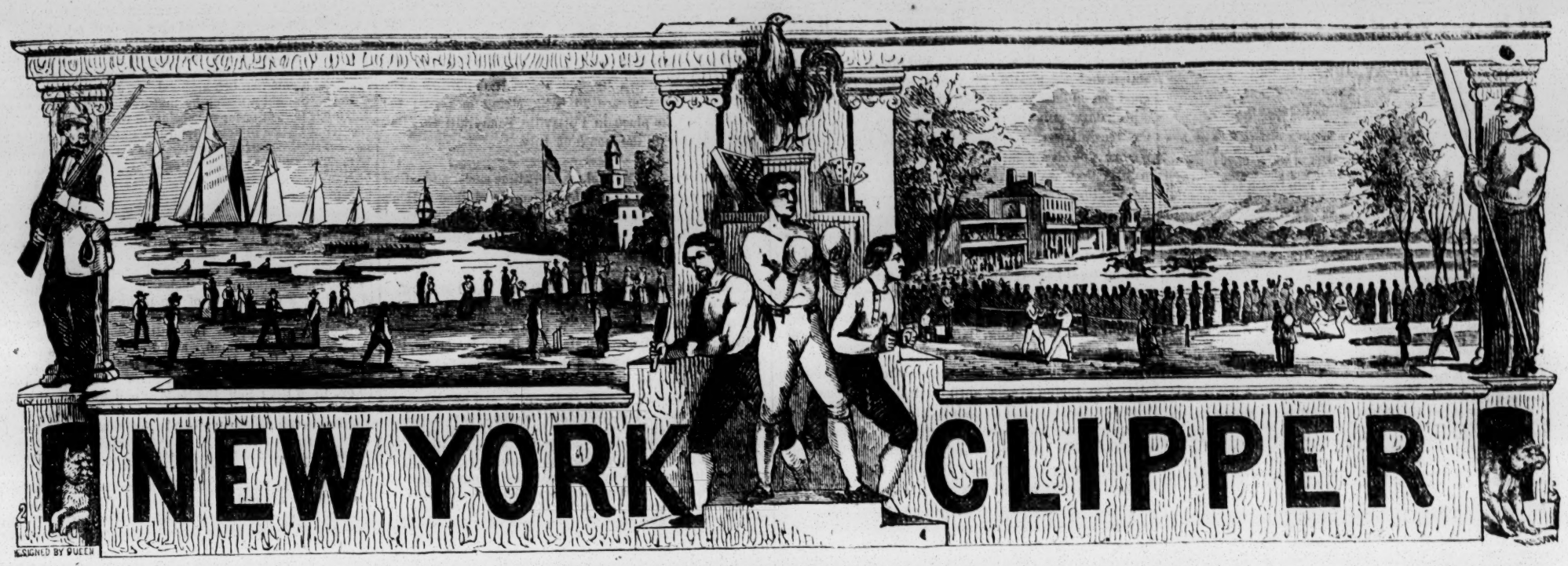

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RULES FOR SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

NO. X.

RULES OF POKER, OR BLUFF.

This game depends more on hazard than any other game played with cards, as it is not always the case that the best hand is the winning one; for if an adversary risks more money than you think your hand would justify you in doing, he wins, although he may have an inferior hand to your's in point of worth; whence the game is termed as above. It is played by a full pack of cards, and by any number of persons under ten.

ON DEALING.

In commencing the game, the cards are dealt one to each player, the lowest card designating the dealer. In case a tie occurs, it is decided by another deal; the ace being the lowest card, the deuce next, &c. The dealer commences on his left, and gives "one" at a time, until each player receives "five cards," being the number required. It is at the option of a player either to accept or reject a faced card; in case the latter, it is placed at the bottom of the pack, and the card following the one faced is given him. In case of a misdeal, the "pool" is doubled, each player putting up an additional stake, the deal going to the next one on the left.

ON BETTING.

An equal stake is deposited in the "pool," which lies in the middle of the table, by each of the parties, who play on their own account. "Counters" or "chips" are generally used, the valuation of which must be agreed upon on commencing; and should no limitation be restricted to in betting, he that puts the largest number of "chips" in the pool, or bets on his hand the highest, is entitled to all that is up, unless met by an adversary, in which case an equal amount must be put up, the better hand of course winning. Should one of the party overreach the amount that is in possession of an adversary, a "*sight*" may be demanded.

Premiums are occasionally played, the amount decided upon at commencement of the game. A "flush" being the lowest hand to which a holder is entitled, next a "full," all the fours beginning at "deuces," and ending with "four aces."

VALUE OF CARDS.

One Pair.—Two cards of any color being of equal value—thus, two deuces the lowest pair, two aces the highest single pair.

Two Pair is the next in value to a single pair of aces, deuces and trays being the lowest, kings and aces the highest two pair.

Three, of equal value, rank next to the two highest pair. Three deuces beat aces and kings.

A Flush, or "five cards" of the same suit, then follows, beating three aces. Should two "flushes" come together, it is decided by the one having the highest cards.

Full Hand, consists of three of equal value, and one single pair—thus, three deuces and two trays beat a "flush."

Four of equal value is the last combination. Deuces, four of which beat a "full," and rank next in value. The only two certain winning hands are four kings with an ace, and four aces; the fortunate holder of either of these can rest easy in regard to a certainty of getting whatever amount he should stake, together with his adversary's.

Should two or more hands come together of equal value in pairs, the better hand is decided by the highest side cards.

EXPLANATION OF TERMS.

Pass.—The person on the left of the dealer having the first privilege either to put a certain sum in the pool or pass his hand, and so on in rotation to the dealer, should all decline betting the hands are thrown up, making a "*double head*," the one on the left taking the deal.

Call.—When an adversary wishes to meet the amount put in the pool by any one preceding him, this term is used.

Run Over.—Should you wish to bet more or "bluff" off your adversary.

Sight.—Not having funds enough to meet the stake put in the pool, entitles you to see an adversary's hand for such an amount as you have.

Double Head.—Should no one enter for the pool, the stakes are doubled, the deal passing to the left.

Treble Head.—When the cards have been twice dealt, and no bets for the pool, &c., the pool always belonging to the *board* until a bet is made.

Blind.—The one left of the dealer has the privilege of putting up a limited number of "*chips*" before raising his hand, he passing. Should a party see fit to call the blind, must put twice the number in the pool, with the privilege of running over the blind: on coming around, the one who first entered either makes his blind good by putting up equally with the one who called, or passes his hand. Should no party see the blind, he is entitled to the pool.

TWENTY-DECK POKER

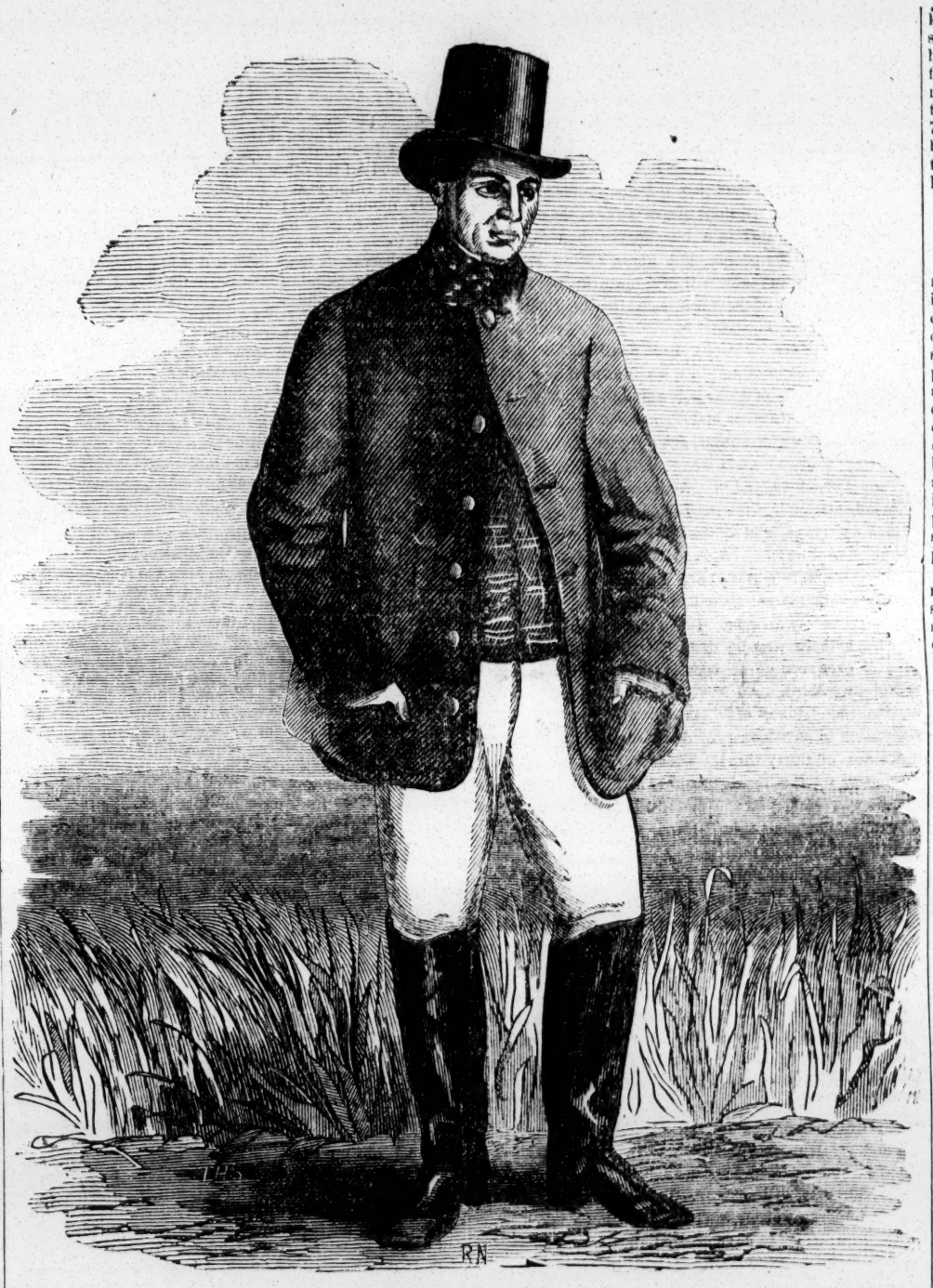
Is played and governed precisely in the same manner that "Bluff" is, with the exception that only twenty cards are used; consequently, four is the highest number that can participate in the game. The ace, king, queen, knave and ten, are the cards used.

A DOG IN DISGUISE.

The disguise of a Greyhound, for the purpose of poaching, frequently takes place. A gentleman, lately riding in the neighborhood of Cheltenham, saw, at the door of a farm-house, an animal that baffled his sagacity to understand.

"My boy," says he, to a lad that was lying by, "what sort of a beast do you call this?"

"Why, zur," says the boy, "he was once a *greyhound*, and we call d'n *Vly*; but measter cut off his ears and his tail, and meade'n into a *mashtiff*, and now we calls'n *lion!*"



TOM SAYERS.

Born in 1826. Height, 5 feet 8½ inches. Weight, 152 lbs.

Beat Couch, £5 a side, 12 min. 28 sec., Greenhithe, March 19, 1849.

Fought Collins, £25 a side, 9 rounds, 27 min., at Edenbridge, disturbed by beaks and removed to Red Hill, where 39 more rounds were fought in 1 hour 52 min., when darkness came on and the fight was adjourned, Oct. 22, 1850. Were to have fought again in the same ring with Sambo and Cross, Dec. 10, 1850, but darkness again intervened.

Beat Collins, £25 a side, 44 rounds, 84 min., Chapman's Marshes, Long Reach, April 29, 1851.

Beat Jack Grant, £100 a side, 64 rounds, 2 hours 50 min., Mildenhall, June 29, 1852.

Beat Jack Martin, £50 a side, 23 rounds, 55 min., Long Reach, Jan. 26, 1853, having tried it on the previous day at Stevenage, Herts, when the police interfered.

Beaten by Nat Langham, £100 a side, 61 rounds, 122 minutes, near Lakenheath, Oct. 18, 1853.

Beat Sims, £50 to £25, 4 rounds, 5 min., Long Reach, Feb. 28, 1854.

Beat Harry Poulson, £50 a side, 109 rounds, 3 hours 8 min., Appledore, Jan. 29, 1856.

Fought Aaron Jones, £100 a side, 62 rounds, 3 hours, Banks of Medway, darkness came on; both much punished: Jan. 6, 1857.

Beat Aaron Jones, £100 a side and a bet of £100 a side, 85 rounds, 2 hours, Banks of Medway, Feb. 10, 1857.

Matched to fight the Tipton Slasher, for the Championship and £400, June 16, 1857.

THE 'GREAT EASTERN' BOUND FOR PORTLAND.

Although Norfolk and New York are striving to obtain the first trip of the Great Eastern to their ports, yet we have no doubt that it will be made to Portland; in fact, the Grand Trunk Railway Company have already issued in Europe their printed circulars, announcing the fact that they had completed their arrangements with the owners of the Great Eastern to ticket passengers by her through Portland to Canada and the Western States.

After Captain Harrison, who is to command her, had given our harbor a personal examination, and found it, both in depth of water and facility of access, superior to any American port, her owners entered into an arrangement with the Grand Trunk Company to make her trial trip here, provided suitable wharf accommodations could be furnished. The Company then called upon Portland to know what she would do to secure this steamer, and the city promptly responded by saying that we would build such wharves as the engineers said would be necessary. Legislative authority to build these wharves was obtained, one of them is completed, and the other so far finished that it can be made ready in a month or six weeks from this time. The Portland Board of Trade has corresponded with the officers of the Company, and has letters from the Secretary, Mr. Yates, advising that the steamer "would be ready about midsummer." It is understood that she will be launched in August, but some time must elapse after she is afloat to finish her upper works, for she is to have accommodatfons for 800 first-class, 2000 second, and 1200 third-class passengers.

There is only one contingency in our opinion that will prevent her making her first trip to Portland, viz: her charter by the Government to take troops to China. Should the war continue and additional troops be required, as she could carry 10,000 soldiers and their equipments, the Government might offer her such a charter as would justify her owners in postponing her trip to America.

The wharves built for her in our harbor are 200 feet in length, extending into the harbor at right angles with the shore front of the Grand Trunk Railway. At the end of the wharf completed there is now 32 feet of water at low tide, and 42 at high water.

These wharves are 100 feet wide, and the distance between them 300 feet, so that her main side ports, at which she discharges, and which are 400 feet apart, will be in the center of each wharf. The distance from outside to outside of these wharves being 500 feet, the Great Eastern will show 180 feet beyond them, or 90 feet beyond each wharf. Her length is 680 feet, or rather more than one eighth of a mile. Her depth from deck to keel being 60 feet, at high water her gunwales will be something above the ridge-pole of the freight-houses on her wharves, which are 25 feet high. Her upper deck is flush, and affords a promenade of over one quarter of a mile around it. Her screw propeller is 24 feet in diameter, and her side-wheels 60 feet in diameter. About 7,000 tons of iron will be used in her construction, she being divided transversely from keel to upper deck into ten water-tight compartments, and these again divided longitudinally fore and aft.—[Portland Adv., June 18.

TAKE CARE OF YOUR HORSES.

Those who have the care of horses are frequently very negligent in the manner of discharging their duty. There is no animal in existence so susceptible to the effects of dirt, impure air, bad bedding, etc., as the horse. All excrements in the horse's stable, however small in quantity, should be removed at least once a day, and a clean dry place left for the animal to stand or lie down on. Many a horse when stabled for an hour's feeding is placed in a close, filthy place without a breath of pure air—and there obliged to make his meal. We would almost as soon think of eating in such a place ourselves, as of compelling a horse to do it. If you have no windows in your stable, by all means make one at once, or knock off a board, to let in light and pure air. When you have removed the droppings from the stable at night, strew the floor with dry straw or husk; the value of the manure will more than repay the expense—besides render your horse healthier.

Horses take cold very easily; for this reason they should never be turned from a warm stall, where they have perspired for an hour, directly into a damp pasture. Neither should a horse ever to be left to lie down over night in a damp pasturage, where there is no shelter, but let a shed be built, to which they can retire at night. A horse will never lie down in an open lot, when he can find a place of shelter; and if there is nothing better, they will always get near a fence or tree at night.

CURIOUS CUSTOMS IN DAYS OF OLD.

These extracts, from a manuscript, containing directions for the household of Henry VIII., display the manners of days of old, and from the quantum of food ordered for the king's greyhounds, the number kept must have been considerable.

His highness' baker shall not put alum in the bread, or mix rye, oaten or bean flour, with the same, and if detected he shall be put in the stocks.

His highness' attendants are not to steal any locks or keys, tables, forms, cupboards, or other furniture, out of noblemen's or gentlemen's houses where he goes to visit.

Master-cooks shall not employ such scullions as go about naked, or lie all night on the ground before the kitchen fire.

No dogs to be kept in the court, but only a few spaniels for the ladies.

Dinners to be at ten, and suppers at four.

The officers of his privy chamber shall be loving together, no grudging or grumbling, nor talking of the king's pastime.

The king's barber is enjoined to be cleanly, not to frequent the company of misguided women, for fear of danger to the king's royal person.

There shall be no romping with the maids on the staircase, by which *dishes* and *other things* are often broken!!!

Care shall be taken of the pewter spoons, and that the wooden ones, used in the kitchen, be not broken or stolen.

The pages shall not interrupt the kitchen maids, and he that gets one of them with child shall pay a fine of two marks to his highness, and have his *allowance of beer withheld for a month.*

The grooms shall not steal his highness' straw for beds, sufficient being allowed for them.

Coal only to be allowed to the king's, queen's, and lady Mary's chambers.

The brewers not to put any brimstone in the ale.

Among the fishes for the table, is mentioned the porpoise; if too big for a horseload an extra allowance to the purveyor.

FIGHTING CAT TALES.

Once upon a time, in a company, consisting of naval officers, the discourse happened to turn on the ferocity of small animals; when an Irish gentleman stated, that a Kilkenny cat, of all creatures, was the most ferocious; and added, "I can prove my assertion by a fact within my own knowledge:—I once," said he, "saw two of these cats fighting in a timber yard, and willing to know the result of a long battle, I drove them into a deep saw-pit, and placing some boards over the mouth, left them. Next morning I went to learn the conclusion of the fight, and what d'ye think I saw?"

"One of the cats dead, probably," replied one of the circle.

"No, by J——s! there was nothing left in the pit but the two tails and a bit of flue!"

HONEST BILLY.

"Billy, how did you lose your finger?"

"Easily enough" said Billy.

"I suppose so, but how?"

"I guess you'd a lost your'n if it had been where mine was."

"That don't answer my question!"

"Well, if you must know," said Billy, "I had to cut it off, or else steal the trap."

"Paddy," said a joker, "why don't you get your ears cropped—they are entirely too long for a man?" "And yours," replied Pat, "ought to be lengthened—they are too short for an ass."

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SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1857.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

W. T. G., Philadelphia.—1. Henry Perritt's performance at New Orleans, in running a mile in one minute and forty-two and a half seconds is believed to be the fastest time, of which there is any authentic record. 2. Lecomte's time in running four miles, viz: seven minutes and twenty-six seconds, has not been beaten in England; at least no truthful record can be found of a similar performance in that country. The many marvellous feats on the turf attributed to Flying Childers are not sufficiently substantiated to warrant their being placed on record as matters of fact. Distances were not correctly measured in those days, neither was time accurately noted. Of late years more attention has been given to these matters. Lexington's four miles in seven minutes and nineteen and three quarters of a second is believed to be the best on record.

L. E. T., Washington, D. C.—"I have made a bet, to the following effect, which you are to decide:—I bet that Tom Hyer fought Sullivan for $10,000—my opponent bet that he fought only for $5,000, although he admits that the stakes amounted to $10,000 in the whole, but that he won only $5,000. Who is right?" He fought for $10,000, although he actually won but $5,000 of Sullivan's money. When the stakes had been made good, the parties gave up all claim to it unless won by a fight, so that in fact the money belonged to neither man after it had been duly deposited. Therefore it is clearly apparent that the fight was for $10,000.

E. H. Story, Salem.—There never existed better Billiard players than those of the present day. 2. It is a rather difficult point to determine as to the best player of the present time, because the game is differently played in different countries. The three following named gentlemen are presumed to be the best in their respective games, viz: Four-ball carom game, on American tables, Mr. Michael Phelan, of New York; French carom game, on French tables, M. Claudius Berger, of France; English Three-ball game, on English tables, Mr. Roberts, of England.

Grandley, Montpelier.—On the average, horses in England are shorter lived than those of this country. Cuvier asserts that more horses are consumed in England, in every ten years, than in any other country in the world, in ten times that period, except those which perish in war. This is owing, we suppose, to a certain extent, to the practice of running race horses at two or three years old, working others long before their limbs are knit, or their strength come, and exacting from them services far beyond their powers.

S. Wright, Mobile.—We published in full the articles of agreement a few weeks since—the fight is to take place in Canada, but the precise spot will not be determined upon for some time yet. By keeping your eye on our little craft you will become regularly posted on all matters concerning the match.

Ira Hastings, Orange.—There is no authentic pedigree for Flora Temple—we know that several have been claimed, but as they were furnished to order for some particular purpose, without regard to truth, of course they must be looked upon as bogus.

Tom Cribb, Cincinnati.—1. Donnelly was the winner of his fight with Cooper—the contest was decided near the Curragh of Kildare, on the 13th of December, 1815; eleven rounds were fought, in 22 minutes. 2. Donnelly never wore the Champion Belt of England.

J. W. M., Washington.—We have no record of better steamboat time between New York and Albany than that of the Alida, six hours and twenty-one minutes. It is barely possible that this may have been excelled, but we have seen no record of it.

J. M., Cahoes.—As it is very probable that your challenge, if published, will be accepted, suppose you send along a forfeit, so that the parties challenged may understand that you really mean business. If a match should not be made, the money can be returned to you.

Young America, Milford.—1. We cannot say who is the real owner of Pocahontos. 2. It is the opinion that she could have made even better time than 2:17½, had it been necessary. 3. Flora Temple is 13 or 14 years of age.

A. Archbold, Newcastle, Pa.—1. Ben Caunt is 6 feet 2½ inches in height. 2. In his last battle, which was with Bendigo, in 1845, Caunt weighed about 198 lbs.

Jas. Montgomery, Cincinnati.—The walking match (7 miles) between the North Star and Jas. Winterfield, took place on the Union Course, L. I., on the 12th of December, 1854, the Star winning.

Triangle.—In the fight between Ed. Price and Joe Coburn, the former was seconded by Johnny Roberts, and Coburn by Barney Ford and Jas. Laverty.

Gran Point, Albany.—McCoy was attended by Jas. Sanford and Henry Shanfroid. Sullivan was opposed to McCoy, and acted as one of Lilly's advisers during the fight.

Cort.—It is estimated that Mechanics Hall, wherein the Bryant Minstrels are performing, will accommodate between 900 and 1000 persons.

A Subscriber.—We have the record of but one battle in which Sullivan was engaged in the London P. R., and that was with Hammer Lane. Your other question will be answered in our next.

One of the Patrons of the Clipper.—Harry Broome was defeated by Tom Paddock on the 19th of May, 1856, for £200 a side—51 rounds were fought in 63 minutes.

W. B., Boston.—Canada, the Indian pedestrian, died in the latter part of the year 1853.

Old Times, Germantown.—The execution of Porter, the mail robber, took place on Bush Hill, Philadelphia, in 1829.

C. Canson, Dubuque.—We have forwarded the back Nos., which we hope you have received ere this.

L. K., Buffalo.—For your many attentions, please accept our thanks. We shall be happy to reciprocate whenever the opportunity offers.

Union.—*All Fours.*—1. Game is scored by the non dealer. 2. Low before Jack.

M. S. and W. H., Providence.—Sullivan *did not* sell his fight with Hyer—he was defeated solely on his merits.

Big Bill, London, C. W.—A deposit would look more like the thing, and probably have the desired effect.

L. M. H., Mansfield, Mass.—The mare might have had several trials on the day mentioned, but not afterward.

E. F. P., Concord, N. H.—Thank you. See elsewhere.

Beginning Early.—Preparations are already on foot for various horse shows throughout the country. Elmira, in this State, seems to have taken the lead, and a grand National Horse Show will take place there in September next. A race track is being laid out, said to be one mile in circumference, and a number of celebrated trotters have been *engaged* to compete for the prizes—Flora Temple and Lancet being among the number. Firemen, also, are to have a grand trial of their masheens. Premiums for horses will be given, it is said, to the amount of $15,000; and those for firemen are stated at $3,000. There will be great times at Elmira.

Novel Race in Philadelphia.—There is quite an excitement in Philadelphia, among the firemen and others, relative to a match recently made for a race between the United States Hose Co., and the Fair Mount Hose Co., for $100 a side. The race is to come off on Saturday, August 1st. They are to start from the Robin Hood Tavern, on the Ridge Road, and they are to run on the pike the distance of three miles. Judges are to be stationed at different points on the road, to see that everything is conducted in a fair and honorable manner.

Old Fogies on Billiards.—Some of the "immaculate" and highly-respectable citizens of Concord, N. H., have made themselves appear in a very ridiculous light recently by their attempt to suppress the playing of Billiards in that place. The question now is, whether these old fogies shall be ducked in the horse pond, or incarcerated in the lunatic asylum. Place them in the asylum, by all means.

Ocean Race.—The steamships Atlantic and Vanderbilt left here on Saturday, 20th, at almost precisely the same hour, 12 o'clock, the former for Liverpool, the latter for Southampton. There is considerable money pending the result of this race across the Atlantic, and we should not be surprised to learn that the winning steamer had crossed in nine and a half days.

Feat of Strength.—Paul Gibson, of Providence, R. I., a young Irishman, won a wager of $10 by carrying a barrel of dirt weighing 200 pounds, from Hoyle Tavern to Weybosset Bridge, over one mile, in ten minutes.

Praiseworthy.—The Portland Steam Navigation Company will pass boats proposing to enter the Portland regatta on the Fourth, from Boston to that city and back, free of expense. Good for Portland!

Caunt and Nat Langham.—Under our foreign department will be found Ben Caunt's reply to the charge that he wished to "get out of trouble" by claiming forfeit of Langham.

End of the Protracted Meeting.—A Few Hints.—The spring meeting over the Fashion Race Course, L. I., closed on Wednesday, 17th inst., and although it has been stated that the meeting proved a success, yet we have good reason for knowing that the reverse was the case, in a pecuniary point of view, and we much doubt whether the receipts were even sufficient to meet the expenses. We are not disappointed in this, as our readers will remember that we prognasticated this result long before the meeting commenced. We must say, however, in justice to Mr. Hare, that he received greater encouragement than either of his predecessors, and had it not been for various circumstances over which he had no control, the meeting *might* have resulted still more favorably. As it was, the Spring Meeting over the Fashion Course was not a success, in any sense. There were two very fair races run during the meeting, but beyond this we did not observe much improvement over the previous sports on this track. We do not expect to see the *people* take an interest in racing events until such time as some little pains are taken to enlist their attention. In getting up races, the great fault seems to be that the tastes and interests of the masses are entirely ignored, while unusual efforts are made to please and amuse the leading turfmen, the professionals, as they are called, whose numbers are comparatively small, and whose purses are not sufficiently large to support such matters, when unassisted by the people. Gentlemen of the turf, popularize your sports if you desire to witness an improvement in such matters. A few years since, many of our out-door games and pastimes were participated in only by the select few; but the masses having been invited to take a hand in these healthful pursuits, and having directions placed within their grasp whereby to perfect themselves in a theoretical and practical knowledge of the various field and other sports, they "went in," to use a rather homely phrase, and we now have the fruits. See our fields, here, there, and everywhere, dotted with the amateur sportsman, with bat and ball, with horse and gun, in the pursuit of pleasure and health. Their motto is—"Better to seek for health in fields unbought, than fee the doctor for a nauseous draught." All descriptions of sports are in the ascendant, but sports of the turf in a less degree than all others. Seek to please the people, and horse racing will soon receive an impetus that will eventuate in the improvement of the breed of the horse, as well as his rider.

Exciting Main of Cock Fighting.—Arkansas vs. Tennessee.—Some time since we informed our readers that a great main of cocks was soon to be fought between the States of Arkansas and Tennessee. We now learn from the Helena, Arkansas, *State Rights Democrat*, of the 28th May, that the main was fought in Memphis, Tenn., the week previous, and that Arkansas proved the winner. Our information is, says the *Democrat*, that the attendance was very large, and entirely respectable and orderly. There were thirty-five cocks to be matched, out of which thirty-three were matched and fought. In every particular the affair was conducted fairly, frankly, quietly, and in a gentlemenly manner. From the most reliable sources we learn there was no disturbance, and less drinking than is ever seen on an occasion where there is such a crowd assembled. At least five thousand persons were on the ground, many of whom were gentlemen of the first reputation in our country. Arkansas whipped nineteen fights out of thirty-three. There was not the slightest contention on the result of either fight. Five thousand dollars was staked on the main, and two hundred and fifty dollars on each fight. Hence there was $6,250 won and lost on the main.

A writer in the Memphis, (Tenn.) *News*, doubtless one of the losers on the event, gives vent to his outraged feelings in a long communication on the subject of crime in general, and cock-fighting in particular, and pitches into everybody with a coolness perfectly refreshing during the dog-days. The Helena *Democrat*, in noticing this "weak invention of the enemy," says: "If that writer or any other man will say he has ever seen 5000 men assembled together, whose conduct was more orderly and correct, he will be proven to be a falsifier by the best evidence. Gentlemen met on that ground and their whole intercourse was in the strictest accordance with just and gentlemanly rules."

The British Championship.—The Slasher and Sayers.—This important event, which was to have taken place on the 16th, seems to have created an unusual degree of interest in the sporting circles of Great Britain. *Bell's Life* of the 7th inst., in alluding to the fourteenth deposit, of £20 a side, which was made on the 2d, says "A good deal of betting took place—the Tipton, of course, being the favorite—at 6 and 7 to 4. The backers of Sayers were anxious to get on, and at 7 to 4 a good deal of business might have been done. Report speaks highly of the condition of both men. The Tipton is said to be better in every way than he has been for years; while Sayers is not in a less healthful state, both of mind and body. The excitement about the match, as the day approaches, is so great, that we fully anticipate the greatest muster that was ever known at a ring side. Where it can come off, it is of course impossible to say at present, but in our next we shall go into the matter at full length, and give our readers all the information in our power as to the event. The final deposit of £40 a side is to be made on the 11th, when preliminaries will be duly settled."

On our first page will be found a full length portrait of Tom Sayers, from a painting by Jem Ward.

Regatta at Newburgh.—In our advertising columns will be found the programme of arrangements for the proposed regatta at Newburgh on the coming 4th of July. It will be seen that the prizes are such as to warrant the belief that there will be strong competition between the boatmen of this city and its vicinity to obtain them. The regatta at Newburgh last year was the great feature of attraction, and thousands flocked to that place to witness the friendly aquatic contest. There is more enterprise in our river towns in matters of this kind than in the metropolis itself.

Bill Hughes accomplished the feet of walking 100 miles in 30 hours, at Chicago, of which notice was made in our last. He called upon us one day during the past week on his return to Boston.

Rifle Shooting.—A match was made in Birdsboro, Berks Co., Pa., on the 20th inst., between Samuel Moore and George Alton, to shoot a rifle match for $100 a side. Articles were drawn up, and a forfeit deposited. The terms of the match are 20 balls, string measure; the shooting to take place in Pottsville, Schuylkill Co., Pa., some time during the month of July.

Swimming.—In England, a short time since, an Oxford graduate won a bet of £25, by swimming, clothed in thick trowsers, heavy boots, and a jersey, from the Christ Church barge to the white willow, at Iffley, a distance of a mile and a quarter.

THE PHALEN AND BENJAMIN BILLIARD MATCH.

An erroneous impression having gone abroad respecting certain matters connected with the Billiard Match between Messrs. Michael Phelan and Ralph Benjamin, the former gentleman has issued the following card:

As the terms for a match at the game of Billiards between Mr. Ralph Benjamin, of this city, and myself, were duly signed and ratified by deposit on the 25th of May last past—said match to be played in Philadelphia between the date of agreement and the 1st day of the ensuing year—I would much prefer to leave the matters in dispute between us to be settled by the arbitration of our respective scores, and to keep silent until the decision of the umpires, were it not for the fact that Mr. Benjamin—both over his own signature, and through the agency of a disreputable "Companion,"—has put forward statements seriously injurious to my reputation, (if statements from such a quarter could have any force,) directly false in all the most important particulars, and especially calculated to give an unfair impression of the whole.

In the first place, Ralph Benjamin's letter, dated May 3d, and published in the "Companion," tacitly conveys the impression that he offered and is prepared to play me *equally*; whereas, in fact, the terms by him asked and by me granted are a confession of *inferiority* on his part, inasmuch as he demanded and has been given long odds.

In the second place, he intimates that I *asked him* to play for $500, whereas the challenge really came from him; and in the hope that one definite trial would set the matters in dispute at rest, I conceded to him the odds he asked and all the other points save one.

In the third place, Benjamin says in the letter previously quoted that I "distinctly stated that the game should be played on a correct cloth cushion table," even using small capitals to make the matter more certain; whereas, he must have had before him, at the time of writing, my stipulations—the only one I made, all his other points being granted—"that the match should be played on a correct table with combination cushions."

In the fourth place, Benjamin asked for odds to equalize my admitted superiority, and *these* I granted; he asked for balls much smaller than those usually played with, and *this* I granted; he asked me for time, leaving me at his mercy for the next eight months, and *this* I conceded; he asked for the choice of room—giving him the option to take me into any cellar or garret that might suit him—and the point was conceded; he asked to name the city in which the match should come off—a city away from my business, and I let it be as he wished.

In the fifth place, Benjamin asked for the choice of any table with Combination Cushions in Philadelphia, and this also was given to him. In fact, the one solitary reservation mde by me was that the table should be a correct one, and one that would not neutralize by its irregularities the effects of such little science as I may pretend to possess.

Such being the facts of the case, the public can judge in how far Mr. Benjamin "consented" to play a match "as propounded by me;" and I would now state, in order to bring the affair to a definite issue, and have done with it forever, that I am willing to play any man in the country at the usual three or four-ball carom game on a table with Combination Cushions—the only correct ones now in existence—for any sum from $1,000 upwards; and I give six months from date for this challenge to be taken up, after which time it shall be withdrawn and of no further effect. I do so—not that I court or have need of the notoriety of matches—not that I am a betting man, for I prefer the steady profits which business will yield when properly attended to—and not in a spirit of braggadocia, for my friends have always claimed for me a higher skill than I feel conscious of possessing. But I do so, believing a sharp attack better than a chronic malady, and in the hope that a test so simple and decisive will put an end to the bogus challenges put forward by men who envy my success, and the favor with which the public have regarded my improvements in the game. Michael Phelan.

786 and 788 Broadway, June, 1857.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

Card.—City of Reading, June 21, 1857.—Dear Frank,—In the Clipper of June 13th, Mr. Whitehouse, in an effort to justify his reprehensible course, in regard to an intended pigeon shooting match, makes a fling at me which I think is unmerited; and therefore I ask through the columns of the Clipper an opportunity to reply to his inuendoes. I utterly abhor scurrility, and have too much respect for the common civilities of society, to follow in the footsteps of Whitehouse. It is only *falsehood* that requires patching, with equivocation, ambiguity, and Billingsgate slang.

Now to the question. He says I have "endeavored to misrepresent him;" therefore, "he must even say a word in his defence." What is that defence? Without any attempt whatsoever at a defence (except "Spohney's"—"contempt"—"my money under their noses long enough") he introduces a third party into the controversy, and dubbs him with the cognomen, "my friend." I tell David Whitehouse that I have nothing to do with friend or foe, which ever he pleases to use as a satellite, much less with one whose *bona fide* name is withheld. It is with Whitehouse, and no other *house*. I will now briefly recapitulate the facts of the case (*they are recorded in the* Clipper). On the 23d of May, I challenged Whitehouse to shoot a match at pigeons against Wm. Spohn. Conditions, to wit:—To toss for choice whether the spring, or ground trap should be used, I wanting the spring, and Whitehouse the ground trap; or I would give him a dead bird from a spring trap; or I would accept a live one from a ground trap. I deposited $10 in the hands of Chas. Neidly, as an earnest of my intention. Now, Frank, I appeal to all the pigeon shooters in the country (whose oracle the Clipper is) if any could ask for more reasonable terms. Did Whitehouse accept? No, he did not. The terms did fit his "square." Discovering that fact through *gossip talk*, I addressed a note to him per favor of Mr. Neidly ("*my friend*") in which I abandoned the spring trap, and accepted the ground trap, with a proviso that such guns should be used as are ordinarily shot with in field shooting, also to hold the gun against the hip bone. Neidly had the $10 forfeit, and Whitehouse was respectfully requested to answer me on the back of the note. Did he do it? No, he did not. *Such terms did not suit his "square" either.* I now ask, where does the barking come from? the "Spohney's," or his own *curs?* For an answer to the above interrogatory, we refer to David's card of June 13th. Some few weeks ago Mr. Whitehouse challenged a gentleman, or any one in Reading, to a rifle shooting match for $100 a side; it was accepted by Sam Moore, and a forfeit of $10 each deposited in the hands of a stakeholder. The day of shooting came; both parties appeared, Moore of "Old Berks" with his $100, Whitehouse with only $50. Where was his $100 then? Let David answer.

In conclusion, I wish to state, that I hold my self responsible for everything that appears over my *own* signature, whether in the Clipper or elsewhere, and will not entertain, or notice any anonymous squibs, be they fired by whomsoever they may. Yours, Frank, in the fraternal bonds of a common bro herhood, Joseph B. Marsh.

P. S.—Should a match be matured, I wish it to be understood, that in order to accelerate the flight, no wanton cruelty shall be inflicted upon the unoffending birds, by lacerating them with *knives or pins;* a common practice with Whitehouse; but we think "better honored in the breach than the observance." This I would state merely as a point of honor. J. B. M.

COCKING.

Main in Maryland.—Baltimore, June 22.—Mr. Queen: As I have seen no account of a main fought in Prince George's county, Maryland, and supposing you would like to have notice of all such affairs, I take the liberty of sending a description of the main which was fought at Old Fields, Prince George county, on the 11th and 12th of June, between the Baltimoreans, (represented by Mr. Patrick Spillman,) and Prince George's county and Virginia, headed by the old Virginia cocker, known as "Hear Me Now." Terms: Show 17 cocks from 4lb. 10 oz. to 6 lbs.; $20 the battle, and $50 on the odd fight. The result was as follows; the Spillman party winning seven fights out of the ten that fell in, viz.:

First Day.		Second Day.	
Spillman	11110	Spillman	10101
Hear Me Now	00001	Hear Me Now	01010

This is the third main Mr. Spillman has won in a short time, and he authorises me to say that he is willing to fight a main against any party, without reservation, (said main to come off at Nelson's pit, near Baltimore,) for $50 a battle, and $250 on the main: show 17 cocks, from 4 lbs. 10 oz. to 6 lbs. Any person accepting this challenge will receive one-half the pit money, or $50 at their choice.

There is a match to come off at Nelson's pit, two miles from Baltimore, on July 9th, "Baltimore City vs. the County:" show 9 cocks, $20 a battle, and $50 the main. At the same time and place a Shake Bag fight for $50.

N.B. Mr. Spillman is always to be heard from by addressing in care of George Nelson, Baltimore.

AQUATICS.

Another Boat Race on Concord River.—Friend Queen—Another interesting boat race came off on the 17th, on Concord river, which was contested with more spirit and better success than that of Fast Day. The Union Boating Association, not wishing to attend the celebration, resolved to have a good time at home, and therefore got up a boat race. The following boats entered to row for the prizes, which were two in number; the first, a pair of elegant spruce oars, with silver plated bands on the sides; the second, a superb silk boat-flag. The prizes were obtained through the generosity of a number of gentlemen of this town whose names we have not been able to learn.

Ariel	Rowed by	H. S. Plympton.
Batiste	do	W. E. Lewis.
Plymouth Girl	do	F. T. Horton.
Red Wing	do	W. H. Benjamin.
Belle	do	Alex. S. Clarke.
Manchester Boy	do	H. R. Dalton.
Fashion	do	S. R. Bartlett.

On account of the narrow limits of the river at this season, it was thought best to enter the boats in three divisions; 3 boats in the first, 2 in the second, and 2 in the third. At half-past 5 precisely the boats rowed up to the judges' stand, and took their places in the order for starting.

At this time there were over six hundred spectators present, the bridge was entirely covered with ladies, so that a team could not pass. At a given signal, the first three boats got off in beautiful style; Horton took the lead on the first quarter, and kept it throughout. Plympton met with an accident in reaching the buoy on the first quarter, and had to withdraw, leaving Horton and Lewis to contest the race. The second was led by Benjamin, who made the best time that was made. The third was led by Bartlett, as the following time table will show:

FIRST MATCH.

Name of Boat.	Time. MIN.	SEC.
Ariel, (withdrawn.)		
Batiste	11	58
Plymouth Girl	11	28
SECOND MATCH.		
Red Wing	10	53
Belle	12	42
THIRD MATCH.		
Manchester Boy	11	33
Fashion	11	17

The first prize was of course awarded to Benjamin, and the second to Bartlett. Every one appeared to be perfectly satisfied with the result, and when we left all were enjoying themselves to the fullest extent.

Yours truly, L. E. Phant.

Match Race.—As one of the results of the recent regatta of the New York Yacht Club, an agreement was entered into between the owners of the yachts Una and Haze, for a race between these vessels from a stake boat off Hoboken to the South West Spit and back. The event was decided on the 17th, the Una proving the winner, although the Haze led all through the race; but having given 10 minutes in time to the Una, she was unable to make it up, thus losing the race by about two minutes. An engraving of these yachts, as they appeared at the South West Spit, will appear in our next.

Regatta on the Delaware.—A regatta is to come off on the Delaware river, at Philadelphia, on Monday next, 29th inst., between twenty-five feet boats and under. The boats are to start from Maiden street wharf, and to sail to Chester buoy and back. The yachts Ray, Green, Estlin, and the celebrated yacht John S. Condy, are some of those which are to contend. Much interest prevails in boating circles, about this regatta, and from the betting it would appear that the Condy is the favorite.

A Poke at New York.—In answer to a notice from the Union Club of this city, proposing a match with the Undine Club of Pittsburgh, the *Evening Reporter* of the 19th, contains the following:

The challenge put forth by the Undine Club of this city, stated expressly that *they would row any boat in this city or vicinity*, and of course did not include New York or St. John. No doubt the latter would also accept it were it not that they can win all the money they want from the New Yorkers, without coming so far as the Smoky City. There was a time when even this from the New Yorkers would have been accepted—we mean in the days of the Fashion. Boating in Pittsburgh, however, has not been attended to for some years, but it is beginning to revive, and as soon as we can procure a few first class boats and get our crew in proper trim, we would not have the least objection to test the relative merits of the sons of the Smoky City with the star oarsmen of New York. You may expect to hear from us again.

Sport Ahead.—A grand row boat race will come off on Monday, June 29, at 3 o'clock P. M., at Hell Gate Ferry, foot of Eighty-sixth street, East River, for 19 foot working boats. Mile heats: best 3 in 5. A purse of $25 to the winning boat, and $10 to the second boat in. Visitors will also be enabled to see the match race between the yachts S. T. Webster and John S. Austin, which are to sail around Throg's Point buoy and back for $100 a side. The yachts start at 1 o'clock P. M. Soon after the first race, a purse will be given for 17 foot working boats, two pair sculls. Mile heats; best 3 in 5; (no outriggers allowed) $15 to the winning boat, and $5 to the second boat in. Entries for 19 foot boats $3; do. for 17 do., $2. All entries to be made previous to 12 M., Saturday, June 27th inst. N. B.—Should the weather prove unfavorable, the race will take place the next fair day. Take the Second and Third Avenue cars to 86th street.

J. M. Dunlap, Hell Gate Ferry Hotel.

SPARRING.

RANKIN'S EXHIBITION, at Kerrigan's Military Head Quarters, No. 22 White street, on the 17th inst., was one of the best attended we have had during the season, notwithstanding the price of admission was 50 cents. The room was well filled by a very respectable appearing audience, who seemed to take particular interest in the proceedings. There was a good muster of boxers present, who all expressed a disposition to assist in rendering the entertainment acceptable to the numerous patrons of the sport who were present. We intended to devote a considerable space to a report of this exhibition, but other matters crowding upon us at the last moment, and wishing to accommodate our friends, one and all, we have been obliged to curtail our report of some of its fair proportions. The ball was opened by a bout between Mike Mickey and a friend, who gave place to Barney Aaron and a friend, who made a fair display; Charley Holmes, and Hunter, of Brooklyn, both excellent boxers, next donned the mits, and gave satisfaction by their system of warfare; then came in succession Johnny Golding of Manchester, and Jem Irwin; Johnny Aaron and Young Costello; Charley Freeman and Armstrong; Liverpool Pet and Scotty, of Brooklyn. After these had appeared and disappeared, showing the various tactics adopted by various boxers, Cheek Hares and John Gallagher were introduced, and for some time amused and pleased the audience mightily by their performance, receiving in return thunders of applause; this was generally conceded to be the most scientific and interesting display of the evening. Brown and Jack Adams followed, then Young Tovee and a friend; and to conclude all, the wind-up between Rankin and Coburn was announced. As this was the event which had drawn the numerous assemblage together, much anxiety was manifested regarding the set-to and appearance of the men. When they appeared, they were met with acclamations from all parts of the house. Order being restored, the men put themselves in position, and commenced the business in hand. We would prefer to omit any mention, whatever, of this set-to; but as our readers doubtless wish to learn our opinion of the abilities of Mr. Rankin, as displayed at his benefit, we feel in duty bound to give it: Mr. Rankin did not exhibit one particle of practical knowledge of the science of manual defence, and we have seen many men who make no pretensions to pugilistic abilities do much better in boxing bouts than he did in his set-to with Coburn. At the same time we do not wish it to be understood that Coburn was much better—his antics were not what patrons of boxing admire; jumping and getting into all sorts of ridiculous positions does not please lovers of the real science of boxing; and we are surprised that Coburn, who is certainly a clever sparrer, did not make a more artistic display on the occasion. It may be urged by the friends of Rankin that Coburn's proceedings prevented him from exhibiting those points which he is said to possess. If Coburn's actions thus frustrated Rankin's intentions, he should have compelled him to toe the mark by some forcible arguments from the shoulder, instead of submitting to such child's play. If Rankin possesses the strength and the ability, as we judge he does, Coburn should have been taught his place. It may be argued again that Rankin did not wish to make much of a set-to on that occasion; then, say we, he should have refunded every man present his admission money. They were present to witness Rankin spar—that was to be *the* feature of the evening, and the *beneficiare* should have endeavored to please those who patronized him. We admire Mr. Rankin as a man—he is gentlemanly and courteous; and, it may be, suffers himself to be imposed upon by his inferiors—but as a boxer, if we are to judge from the display at his exhibition, we cannot say much for him. We speak this plainly, because we wish our remarks to be of some benefit to Mr. Rankin, as well as to others who think anything good enough for patrons of boxing, after the place of exhibition has been filled. Let Mr. Rankin accept our remarks in the same kind spirit in which they are made, and he will be the gainer in the end. Let him keep himself aloof from certain parties who seem to be *using* him for some selfish end. Old Bill Tovee conducted the exhibition in a very creditable manner, and at the close made a few remarks in regard to Mr. Francis's proposition to set-to with him—old Tovee thought he had enough to do to match the boxers; he said that he would gladly give up the job, and set-to instead, if any one would officiate in his place as Master of Ceremonies.

HARRY LAZARUS gave a sparring exhibition last night, the 19th, at Townsend Hall; and although the night was wet and stormy, the Hall was well filled. Wilson and Meaner's Band opened the fun by singing some of their favorite songs, after which Johnny Lazarus and William Pennel (the Cleveland Pet) made their appearance; they are both excellent sparrers. Fred Whitehead and a Californian gent mounted the stage next; this was a pretty rough set-to; Fred was a little too much for Cally. A number of others put the mittens on, and then came the wind-up between Harry Lazarus and Johnny Sweetman, [it was to have been between Harry and Denny, but the latter was excused in consequence of his arm being injured.] This was a grand set-to—it was difficult to say which was the best; Sweetman has few superiors with the mittens; Harry is supposed to be out of the reach of all of his own weight. Previous to the commencement of the evening's sport, a gentleman came forward and requested the audience not to applaud very loud—the reason for making the request was in consequence of an edict issued by Mayor Stevens against sparring exhibitions. He sent word to Mr. Lazarus that he would not allow an exhibition to take place. Mr. L. called upon him at his office, told him he had gone to considerable expense, and unless he could go on with it, it would be quite a loss to him. The Mayor gave him permission to have this one, on condition that the audience would not applaud so as to disturb the more peaceable inhabitants living in that neighborhood, as if applauding at a sparring exhibition was any different from that at any other place of amusement. How changed the Mayor is, and how different he talks from what he did the 8th of this month, the day previous to our election; then he was around with the boys, soliciting their votes, and was seen walking hand in hand with men that our pugilistic friends would shun as they would a serpent; then it was, "Boys, to-morrow is election day; I want you all to walk up to the polls for me; I am your friend." O yes; "walk into my parlor, said the spider to the fly," only once, and I'll clip your wings when I get you there. Thank fortune, his time is most out. A man then takes the reins of this city that is not opposed to any such harmless amusements. L. K.

Buffalo, June 20.

CARD.—Buffalo, June 15.—MR. EDITOR: I noticed in your last week's CLIPPER a notice of an exhibition given by Dennis Horrigan, at Buffalo, in which it was stated that I failed to appear on the occasion. I will now inform you, Mr. Editor, as I informed my friends before and after the exhibition, of my intention of not appearing any more at exhibitions of any kind in Buffalo, as I hold a situation that will not permit me. I would also inform you that for the last three years I have been always on hand to render my services to any gentleman, friend, or stranger, that gave an exhibition in Buffalo or other cities that I have been in since my arrival in this country.

SAMUEL GAINSLEY.

A GLOVE FIGHT is to take place on Thursday evening, July 2d, at the Henry Clay House, corner of Avenue A and First street, between Young Donelly and Young O'Shea, for $25. The price of admission has been fixed at 25 cents.

THE RING.

FIGHTS TO COME.

JULY 20.—Enoch Davis and James Brown, $1000—St. Louis.
AUG. 1—Dominick Bradley and S. S. Rankin, $2000—Canada.

BRADLEY AND RANKIN'S MATCH goes on steadily, as far as the deposits are concerned. Some interesting particulars concerning the men and their trainers, and one or two others interested in the match, may be given in our next.

"MATCH FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP."—Burlington, Iowa, June 16th.—EDITOR CLIPPER—*Dear Sir:* In your last issue I noticed an article in reference to the fight between Dominick Bradley and S. S. Rankin, and from its contents can only infer that these two men *really suppose* that they are to contend for the American Championship in their proposed fifth-rate "mill." Now, if these aspiring shoulder-hitters were a little more modest in their aspirations, I should allow them to pass without notice, for of one I have some knowledge as to his real character, which would hardly warrant much praise, and I am not one to unnecessarily censure; but when the previous high standing of the American Championship is to be degraded by being allowed to be made the supposed prize in the mill spoken of, as one who respects and admires the highest mark of honor to the professors of the "manly art," I hereby earnestly protest against the audacious outrage, and, to show how fully I appreciate the indignity offered, I hereby offer to enter a man to fight either Bradley or Rankin for any sum under $1500, at any place in the north-western States, within six weeks from the date of this letter. By profession I am not a fighting man, nevertheless I think I can justly claim to be an admirer and supporter of the ring, and when I see such an open attempt to tarnish the fair fame of American pugilism, as an American, as a patriot to whom his country's honor is dearer than life itself, I feel bound to interfere with all my power to prevent such a consummation. Man and money can be found at Harmony Hall, corner of Washington and Main streets. A line addressed to me at the above place will meet with prompt attention.

THOS. JAMIESON.

JACK WELSH, of South Reading, Pa., will fight Jerry Slautry a fair stand-up fight, according to the latest rules of the London Prize Ring, for $25 or $50 a side.

WILLIAM BURKE, of Boston, will make a match to fight James Day, better known as Game Cock, according to the rules of the London Prize Ring, for any amount of money from $50 to $100, at the residence of Burke, No. 6 Fuller street.

CHALLENGE.—Hearing that Old Bill Tovee has been blowing that he would lay me out at Mr. S. Rankin's exhibition, and when I went there he would not set-to with me, I hereby offer to fight him at any time for $100 of my own money, or as much more as he can raise. The match can be made at any time at Mr. W. Hastings's, Centre street.

W. FRANCIS.

JAMES DAY, in answer to Wm. A. Burke's challenge, says if Burke means business, he knows that Day can be found at 84 Elliott-street, Boston.

BALL PLAY.

MATCHES TO COME.

JUNE 27.—Enterprise vs. Ashland, at Bedford, L. I.

[Secretaries, or members of clubs, who take sufficient interest in publicity being given to the movements of players of this game, will oblige us by sending dates, &c., of matches to be played.]

PRACTICE DAYS.—The Knickerbockers, on Mondays and Thursday of each week; the Gothams and Eagles, on Tuesday and Friday; the Empires and St. Nicholas, on Wednesday and Saturday. These clubs all practice on their grounds at the Elysian Fields, Hoboken.

A MATCH will be played between the First Nine of the Enterprise Base Ball Club and the First Nine of the Ashland Base Ball Club, of New York, on the grounds of the former, in Bedford, L. I., on Saturday, the 27th inst., at 4 P.M.. These clubs are composed of young men between the ages of 16 and 20.

We take great pleasure in noticing the movements of our young friends, and shall always be happy to lend them a helping hand in any and every emergency.

ECKFORD VS. EAGLES.—The match between the Eckford and Eagle Base Ball Clubs was played at the ground of the Eckford Club, at Green Point, on Tuesday, 16th inst. It resulted in the Eagles being victorious, they having scored 34 runs to the Eckford's 20.

EAGLE	Runs.	ECKFORD.	Runs.
1..Place (3d base)	3	1..Pidgeon (pitcher)	4
2..Houseman (2d base)	4	2..Tostivan (catcher)	4
3..Yates (1st base)	3	3..Welling (1st base)	1
4..N. Welling (short)	3	4..Webster (2d base)	3
5..Armfield (field)	6	5..Logan (3d base)	1
6..Bixby (pitcher)	4	6..Grumm (short)	3
7..Van Nice (field)	2	7..Grey (field)	1
8..Gelston (catcher)	5	8..Smith (field)	1
9..Williams (field)	4	9..Curtis (field)	2
Total	34	Total	20

Umpire for the Eagle Club, J. W. Mott.
Umpire for the Eckford Club, W. H. Haight.
Referee, T. Leary, of the Empire Club.

THE AMATEUR BASE BALL CLUB made another effort at Hoboken, on Saturday afternoon, the 13th inst. After a spirited and exciting contest of over three hours, twelve innings were made, with the following result:

Names.	Runs.	Names.	Runs.
1..Underhill	11	1..Lathrop	10
2..Eaton	10	2..Carter	8
3..Kenwood	13	3..Underhill, 2d	10
4..Cummings	10	4..Kenwood, 2d	8
5..Halsted, 2d	8	5..Noyes	7
6..Smith	7	6..Van Auken	8
7..Harris	6	7..Garrison	7
8..Harwell	4	8..Halsted	7
9..Hooper	4	9..Ogden	3
Total	73	Total	68

A. L. STAGGER, Secretary.

GREAT MATCH AT BALL PLAYING.—A match at ball playing, for $4,000 took place recently at a ball alley in San Francisco between a Frenchman named Monsieur Garat, and George Dacres, an Irishman. The contest was for the first four out of seven games of fifteen points each. Garat won the first three games, Dacres the fourth and fifth, when the Frenchman decided the contest by winning the sixth. The ball court was very badly constructed; the battery was not of sufficient height, and there was scarcely any side wall. The ball used on this occasion was of the medium size.

☞ We have a large number of questions from correspondents, on hand, to which we have been unable to give that attention which the subject demands. If possible, they will receive attention in our next.

☞ A number of articles have been unavoidably crowded out of this issue.

REGATTA.—Mr. Dunlap, of 86th street East River, has made arrangements for a grand regatta for Monday next. See particulars under aquatic head.

CRICKET.

MATCHES TO COME.

THE following is a list of matches arranged to be played, as far as we are yet cognizant. We shall feel great pleasure in enlarging it, if correspondents will be so good as to furnish us with the necessary particulars.

JUNE 26.—St. George 2d Eleven vs. Bridgeport, at Hoboken.
27.—Brooklyn vs. New Brighton, at New Brighton.
27.—R. Waller, esq., of New York, with ten young men of Philadelphia vs. The Club, (Senior not to bowl,) at Philadelphia.
JULY 1.—New York vs. St. George, at Hoboken.
8.—2d Eleven of St. George vs. Yonkers, (return) at Hoboken.
13.—Eleven of New York and St. George vs. Eighteen of Albany, Utica, Syracuse, and Rochester, at Albany.
25.—2d Eleven of New York vs. Yonkers (return) at Yonkers.
29.—St. George vs. Newark, at Newark.
AUG. 5.—1st Eleven of New York vs. Sixteen of Newark, (return) at Newark.
—United States vs. Canada, in Canada.
15.—2d Eleven of New York vs. 2d Eleven of Newark, (return) at Hoboken.
SEPT. 9.—New York vs. St. George, (return) at Hoboken.
16.—St. George vs. Newark, (return) at Hoboken.
23.—New York vs. Sixteen of Albany, place not named.
30.—St. George 2d Eleven vs. Bridgeport, (return) at Bridgeport.

NEW YORK VS. ST. GEORGE CLUB.—This match, which is always looked forward to with so much interest, and which attracts so many spectators, will be played at Hoboken, on Wednesday, the 1st of July. From the well known rivalry which is exhibited in so friendly a manner between them, we may expect some of the finest cricket of the season. We sincerely hope the weather may prove favorable, so that the lovers of the game may be present in large numbers.

BROOKLYN VS. YONKERS.—This match was not played on the day selected for it, as the Yonkers gentlemen failed to be on the ground at the time appointed; indeed, Messrs. Crossley, Smith and Baker were the only players of the Yonkers Eleven that were there at all. It was a great disappointment to a large number of spectators who were there expecting to witness an exciting game, and especially so to the Eleven of the Brooklyn Club, many of whom had considerable difficulty in being able to play on that day. This want of punctuality in members appointed to play in matches is a great drawback to the game, and some stringent rule should be adopted to prevent it. It is doubtful now whether the match will be played at all.

BROOKLYN VS. NEW BRIGHTON.—This match will be played at New Brighton on Saturday, the 27th inst., unless it *positively rains*. The Brooklyn Club will leave in the New Brighton boat on its first trip from New York.

ST. GEORGE'S CLUB VS. PHILADELPHIA CLUB.—Philadelphia, June 20, 1857.—DEAR CLIPPER: This match, which was to have taken place on Friday and Saturday of last week, did not commence in consequence of the unfavorable weather till 5 o'clock on the former afternoon, when the St. Georges side winning the toss sent Waller and Sharp to the bat. The ground being very wet and dull, the bowling was not what it otherwise might have been; however, John Wister contrived to take Waller's wicket after his making 3 singles, the ball touching the batsman's toe before going into the wicket. The next ball from Wister took Walker for a 0. The veteran Sam Wright then went in to keep Sharp company, and after making 3, and Sharp 5, with 3 byes, and 3 wides, the wickets were drawn, in consequence of a heavy shower.

At 10 o'clock next day, the weather being beautiful, a large number of spectators hastened to the field, who all (about 700) manifested great interest as the game proceeded. Sam Wright and Sharp resumed the bat, and ran the score up to 39 before they were parted, when Sam was bowled by Senior; his 9 was very handsomely made, and it was easy to perceive that the willow was under masterly control (3 wickets for 39 runs). Comery followed, and after two good drives to each side, for 3 and 2, and 3 singles, he was well caught and bowled by Holland (4 wickets, 53 runs). Harry Wright and Sharp now got together, when for over half an hour the spectators were treated with a very stylish display of batting in the powerful defence of Sharp, and the terrific leg hitting of Harry—his 3 to the leg off Senior was the "lick" of the occasion. Senior at last vanquished the almost invincible Sharp after his making a good 20, although he had the fortune to be missed twice at short slip (5 wickets for 65). Burnett followed, and after some good off and leg hitting for 10, was caught by Collis at point (6 wickets for 79 runs). Van Buren, Matthews, Goodard (for Lillywhite), and Wells followed in rapid succession, but were as rapidly disposed of. The total number of runs made being 86, wides 15, byes 3, leg byes 2—together 106.

After partaking of Mrs. Bradshaw's festive board, (which by the way was excellent,) the Philadelphians sent Wister and Holland to the bats, to the bowling of Comery and Sam Wright. The former soon disposed of Holland for 2, and Wister was shortly after caught by Walker at m. w. off, for 0. Dudson followed, but was soon bowled for 2 by Wright. (3 w. for 7 runs.) Barlow and Senior now got together, and right merrily and harmoniously did they work for an hour; and we never saw a better hour's play on the field. Leg hits for 2's and forward drives for 3's were very common; and not till Senior had made a beautiful 20, did Comery succeed in taking him; however, Barlow kept at the fun, and with John Wister's assistance with a good 7, and Bradshaw, Collis, Facon, Kuhn, and Johnson, to help him run his hits, he ran up a score of 33, being the best obtained score we ever saw him make. The whole side went down for 79 runs, being 27 behind the New Yorkers.

At a quarter before five, Harry Wright and Sharp went to the bats for the St. George's, but Harry was very well caught by Collis, at point, on the first over, and was allowed to retire for a goose-egg. Sam Wright (the paternal ancestor of Mr. Collis's last victim) was also victimized by Collis, who seemed at last to get just where the ball came. Comery, next, was beautifully caught at short slip by Senior off Johnson. Waller followed, and after some very good play, though only for 5 runs, was bowled for Senior, (3 w. 5 runs.) Burnett followed, but was bowled by Johnson for a single. Van Buren and Sharp now made a stand; the former, though not batting very gracefully, making a good defence to Senior, and an excellent score of 21. Collis, however, caught him; and Goddard and Wells were soon run out for a single each, making the score of the second innings 72—grand total, 178.

At seven o'clock, the Philadelphians sent in Johnson and W. Wister; the former, after making 1, was run out, (which by the bye was mighty close work for the umpire's eyes,) and Wister, after a good 7, was caught and bowled by the veteran Sam. Dudson followed, and in trying to make a 6, got about six feet too near the bowler, and missing the ball, Harry Wright knocked down his "unfinished hencoop."

Bradshaw made a very good 8, three 2's and 2 singles, and was bowled by Sam Wright. John Wister and Senior now got together, and were making runs at a rapid rate, when the umpires drew the wickets, it being too dark to continue. Wister had made 9 (not out,) and Senior 3 (not out.) Total 29, grand total 108—leaving 70 runs for the Philadelphians to obtain, with seven men to do it, who were Holland, Barlow, Senior, J. Wister, Collis, Facon, and Kuhn.

What the result would have been had the game continued is hard to tell; but all agree that the grand total would have come so near as to create an immense excitement.

Barlow's long stopping was perfection, as also Burnett's.

The bowling of Comery, of Albany, was very effective, the terrible work from the leg making great havoc. Senior bowled some trimmers; he took Van Buren, Sharp and Waller with the three best balls he bowled.

Hoping that more favorable weather will attend the return match in New York, believe me, FELIX.

N.B. Waller's ten boys who play against the Philadelphia Club next Saturday are Collis, Hunt, Morgan, Barclay, Newhall, Jones Wister, Howe, Alsop, Bourne, and McCall.

ST. GEORGE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1..Waller b J. Wister	3	b Senior	5
2..Sharp b Senior	20	not out	30
3..Walker b J. Wister	0	absent	0
4..S. Wright b Senior	9	c Collis b Johnson	3
5..Comery c and b Holland	8	c Senior b Johnson	2
6..H. Wright not out	26	c Collis b Senior	0
7..Burnett c Collis b Dudson	10	b Johnson	1
8..Van Buren b Senior	3	c Collis b Bradshaw	21
9..Matthews b Facon	5	c Wister b Johnson	0
10..Goddard b Facon	2	run out	1
11..Wells leg before wic. Facon	0	run out	1
Byes 3, leg byes 2, wides 15	20	Byes 2, leg byes 2, wides 4	8
Total	106	Total	72

PHILADELPHIA.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1..W. Wister c Walker b S. Wright	0	c S. Wright b S. Wright	7
2..Holland b Comery	2		0
3..Barlow hit wic. b S. Wright	33		0
4..Senior b Comery	20	not out	3
5..Dudson b S. Wright	2	st H. Wright b Comery	0
6..J. Wister c S. Wright b Comery	7	not out	9
7..Bradshaw b Comery	0	b Wright	8
8..Collis b Comery	2	" b	0
9..Facon st H. Wright b S. Wright	0		0
10..Kuhn c Comery b S. Wright	1		0
11..Johnson not out	1	run out	1
Byes 2, leg bye 1, wides 8	11	Wide	1
Total	79	Total	29

P. S.—The gentlemen from New York not being able to make it convenient to play on Monday on account of business which called for their return home, it was concluded to leave the match as drawn. It was a great pity, as it was exceedingly well contested, and had the appearance of being so until the close. We should have felt much pleasure in chronicling either club the victor in such a contest.—[ED. CLIP.]

CRICKET IN GERMANTOWN.—An exciting match was played at Germantown, Pa., on the grounds of the Washington Cricket Club, on Saturday the 13th inst., between some veteran players of that place, in which Mr. Axe's side were winners by one innings and 22 runs. The batting of Messrs. Axe, Strouss, Cox and Spencer on one side and Boyer's Magargee and Reeder on the other was much admired; also the bowling of Axe, Spencer, Boyer and Steiney. The long stopping of Lehman was the admiration of all present. The following is the score:—

AXE'S SIDE.—First Innings.

1..Axe leg before wic. b Boyer	10	6..Cox st Boyer b Steiney	11
2..Coulter c Steiney b Boyer	2	7..Dominick b Boyer	3
3..Lehman run out	6	8..Spencer not out	12
4..Stroup b Steiney	18	Bye 1, leg byes 2, wides 9	12
5..Royal leg bef. wic. b Steiney	8	Total	82

BOYER'S SIDE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1..Boyer run out	6	c and b Spencer	7
2..Steiney b Axe	2	b Spencer	1
3..Krickbaum b Axe	0	b Axe	0
4..Magargee b Spencer	5	b Axe	4
5..Churchman c Cox b Axe	3	not out	5
6..Reeder run out	8	hit wicket b Axe	2
7..Lackman c Royal b Axe	0	c Dominick b Axe	1
8..Rex not out	2	b Spencer	0
Byes 2, leg byes 3, wide 1	6	Byes 6, wides 2	8
Total	32	Total	28

WYOMING VS. MAGNOLIA.—The Second Eleven of these two clubs played an exciting match in Philadelphia on the 6th inst., the former winning by 13 runs only. Annexed is the score:

WYOMING.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1..A. C. White c Knight b Elliot	20	c S. Simes b Elliot	3
2..Gillen leg before wic. b Bull	1	c Johnston b Elliot	0
3..Jenkins not out	6	b Bull	3
4..F. McBride c Knight b Bull	2	b Bull	17
5..Landerdale b Bull	1	c Johnston b Elliot	4
6..Davis b Elliot	2	leg before wicket b Elliot	0
7..A. White b Elliot	0	c Johnston b Bull	4
8..Rau c Johnston b Bull	0	c O'Brien b Bull	4
9..R. McBride c Morrison b Elliot	1	c Knight b Johnston	2
10..Wetherill c and b Bull	1	b Johnston	2
11..Newton b Bull	0	not out	9
Byes 2, wide 1	3	Bye 1, wides 2	3
Total	37	Total	51

MAGNOLIA.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1..Elliot run out	1	b A. White	0
2..Cross hit wicket b Rau	2	b A. White	1
3..Johnston c Gillen b Jenkins	5	b R. Jenkins	22
4..S. Simes c R. McBride b Rau	1	b C. White	1
5..Bull c Jenkins b Rau	4	b C. White	7
6..J. Simes c White b Jenkins	7	b Rau	1
7..O'Brien c White b Jenkins	4	b Jenkins	4
8..Knight c McBride b Jenkins	0	c and b Jenkins	4
9..West b A. C. White	0	c and b Jenkins	0
10..Morrison b A. White	1	not out	2
11..Ferris not out	0	run out	4
		Bye 1, wides 3	4
Total	25	Total	50

EMPIRE, VS. PENNSYLVANIA.—A spirited match between these clubs was played on Saturday the 20th inst, at Germantown, in which the latter were victorious by 43 runs. Want of space prevents our giving full particulars.—Subjoined is the score.

PENNSYLVANIA.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1..Vernon b Williams	2	leg before wicket b Williams	17
2..Wartonby b Williams	19	run out	4
3..W. Barnes b Waples	1	run out	4
4..Knox b Williams	0	b Williams	13
5..Magill c Roberts b Waples	1	c Waples b Williams	2
6..S. Barnes b Williams	7	b Williams	7
7..Mason c and b Williams	1	run out	5
8..Tyndale c Dilworth b Williams	0	b Waples	8
9..Murphy b Williams	1	not out	1
10..Edwards c and b Waples	0	c Godwin b Waples	1
11..Firth not out	0	run out	0
Wides 2, leg bye 1	3	Wide	1
Total	35	Total	63

EMPIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1—Godwin c Magill b Vernon	2	b W. Barnes	2
2..Young run out	0	not out	1
3..Thomas b Vernon	1	b Mason	0
4..Waples b Vernon	9	c and b Mason	21
5..Dilworth b Vernon	1	b Vernon	0
6..Roberts c Vernon b Mason	0	b W. Barnes	0
7..Hanson b W. Barnes	2	b Vernon	2
8..Williams not out	0	c Mason b Vernon	0
9..Harwood c Tyndale b Vernon	0	c Knox b Vernon	4
10..Traquar b Vernon	0	b Vernon	0
11..Pancoast b Mason	1	st S. Barnes b Vernon	1
Wides 2, byes 4, no ball 1	7	Wide 1, byes 2	3
Total	23	Total	32

CRICKET AT ROUSE'S POINT.—Just as we were going to press we received a report of a match played on the 20th inst., in that locality, with other very interesting matters, which we are compelled through want of space to reserve until our next issue.

ANOTHER NEW CLUB IN PHILADELPHIA.—The Quaker City has given birth to another club, and placed it under the patronage of St. Nicholas, whose name they have adopted. They are great institutions.

QUOITING.—On Saturday, July 4, at 2 o'clock P. M., a valuable silver watch will be quoited for on the quoit ground of Mr. Ralph Livesey, Dolly Sabin House, near Pawtucket, R. I. Distance to be quoited 18 yards, in a hoop 18 inches diameter; each player to have 18 throws, the one putting the greatest number clearly in the hoop wins the watch. Any one wishing to contend for the prize can do so. Entrance fee agreed upon at the time by the players.

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THE FISTIC SCIENCE.—One of our city papers tells the following little incident, and as it goes to show that a knowledge of the "manly art" is of more service sometimes than as a mere source of amusement, we transfer it to our columns. It seems that a gentleman from Ohio, stopping at the Astor House, was induced one day the past week to visit Greenwood Cemetery by one of the numerous swindlers who are always to be found in the city. While there an attempt was made to swindle him by the trick of the patent safe game. The "pal" borrowed $10 and a gold watch from the Ohioan to bet on the patent safe. The money was lost, but, as the parties were about to separate, the Ohioan began to discover that he had been swindled, and accordingly made up to the patent safe man, whom he seized by the collar, saying, "I don't know anything about city life, but I came from a country where men know how to fight, and if I am not returned my watch and money I will give you a specimen of Western argument." This appeal had a most surprising effect on the safe man, who immediately returned the watch and money. The Ohio gentleman immediately made tracks for New York, a richer and a wiser man, and determined to take another quarter's instruction in the science of manual defence.

This is not an isolated case. We have heard of numerous instances where a knowledge of the art of boxing has been the means of saving life, and preserving large amounts of individual property. There can be nothing lost in devoting a portion of our leisure time to the attainment of a knowledge of the art of boxing. Whether we consider it for its usefulness, or look upon it as an elegant amusement, our admiration for it is the same, and we cannot too strongly urge upon the notice of our friends the advantages they may derive from a knowledge of the science.

EXCITING MATCH.—HALIFAX VS. ST. JOHN.—Mr. Walter Welsh, of the Union Club, of St. John, N. B., called upon us on the 17th, having business in New York at that time. He informed us that the match made between the Union Club, of St. John, and the Halifax Club, as noticed in our last, will take place on the 23d of July, and is to be for $1200 a side. The race is to be decided in the harbor of Halifax, the boats to start from the Pyrames, and row down the eastern side of George's Island, and then up on the western side to the starting point, the distance being about five miles in all. If the day should not prove favorable, of which Messrs. Welsh and Pryor are to be the judges, then another day is to be selected by those gentlemen. In the last encounter between these two crews, the Haligonians proved the victors, but whether they will be able to vanquish the St. John men in the coming contest is a question of much dispute among the denizens of "away down east." We have not yet learned what boats will be pulled in the trial, but we may rest assured that neither club will "go to sea in a tub." As thousands of our readers feel an interest in this exciting match, we shall keep them advised of all matters connected therewith in the preliminary arrangements, as well as of the final result.

BRADLEY AND RANKIN'S MATCH.—For this event, another deposit of $80 a side was made on Monday evening last, making the total amount now posted one thousand and forty dollars.

LITTLE DORRIT.—T. B. Peterson, of Philadelphia, has just issued Dickens' "Little Dorrit," in one volume. Those who have been awaiting the publication of this interesting work of the popular "Boz," complete, instead of reading it in detached portions, have now an opportunity of procuring the book at the low price of 50 cts. "Little Dorrit" will be found to equal in interest the previous works of Dickens.

EMERSON'S UNITED STATES MAGAZINE, for July, now ready for distribution, is replete with well-written articles on history, the arts and sciences, mechanism, &c., &c. The illustrations in this No., which are quite numerous, are gotten up with extremely good taste and care in both design and execution. Emerson & Co., publishers, No. 1 Spruce street.

THE COSMOPOLITAN ART JOURNAL.—This is a publication connected with the Cosmopolitan Art Association, an institution for the encouragement of works of art. Each subscriber to the association is entitled to a copy of the Journal free of additional expense. Office, 548 Broadway.

EMPIRE CITY REGATTA CLUB.—At a meeting of this club, held on the evening of the 11th inst., the following named gentlemen were elected as officers of the club for the ensuing year: President, Stephen Roberts; Treasurer, J. D. R. Putman; Secretary, Alex. M. Mathews. The following gentlemen were appointed as a Committee for making preparations for a grand National Regatta, viz: Stephen Roberts, Wm. Wood, G. J. Wood. This committee will report at a meeting of the club to be held at No. 369 South street, on the 25th inst., where and when it is hoped that all who feel an interest in the reputation of New York oarsmen and aquatic sports will attend.

REVIVAL OF BOATING SPORTS IN MOBILE.—We are glad to learn that the invigorating amusement of rowing is again becoming popular in Mobile. Some years since the young men of that city took especial delight in aquatic pastimes, but from some unaccountable reason nothing has been done in that line of late years. The "Commodore Armstrong" has just been put afloat by a club of young men, who intend to keep and use her as a pleasure barge. We hope other clubs may be formed, and thus revive the good times of old.

THE LATE REGATTA OF THE N. Y. YACHT CLUB.

OFFICIAL REPORT.

IN order to keep as correct a record of passing events, as can be obtained, we give the following *official* report of the recent brilliant regatta of the New York Yacht Club. It will be found extremely useful for future reference:

NEW YORK YACHT CLUB,
NEW YORK, Friday, June 12, 1857.

The Regatta Committee for the annual regatta, which occurred on the 4th instant, submit the following report:

There were twenty-one yachts entered, viz:

FIRST CLASS.

Name.	Entered by.	Rig.	Ton-age.	No. men allowed.	Square ft. canvas.	Start. M.	S.
Widgeon	D. M. Edgar	Sch.	101.9	26	*3,072 24	25	21
Julia	J. M. Waterbury	Slp.	83.4	21	3,407.24	19	46
Haze	M. H. Grinnell	Sch.	87 2	22	*3,542.50	17	31
Silvie	W. A. Stebbins	Sch.	105.4	26	*3,784.05	13	29
Favorita	A. C. Kingsland	Sch.	138.0	35	*4,593.50	—	—

SECOND CLASS.

Rowena	M. W. Bacon	Slp.	40 5	12	2,368.25	14	48
America	D. C. Kingsland	Sch.	69 5	20	*2,701.97	7	51
Madgie	R. F. Loper	Slp.	38.3	26	2,773.77	6	21
Undine	L. W. Jerome	Slp.	44.0	13	2,788.83	6	03
Sea Drift	J. S. Holbrook	Sch.	63.7	18	*2,828.83	5	12
Una	W. B. Duncan	Slp.	67.5	20	3,064.21	—	22
Minnie	W. H. Thomas	Slp.	59.1	17	3,066.18	—	15
Irene	J. D. Johnson	Slp.	57.8	17	3,078.40	—	—

THIRD CLASS.

Luckey	C. F. Morton	Slp.	15 2	5	1,505.18	17	27
Margaret	J. Simonson	Slp.	25.2	8	1,692.75	12	58
Island Fawn	C. T. Cromwell	Slp.	17.2	6	1,753.69	11	04
Edgar	H. A. Denison	Slp.	17.3	8	1,819.60	3	25
Ray	R. H. Thomas	Slp.	30.3	10	1,843.15	8	49
Richmond	C. H. Mallory	Slp.	27.4	9	1,845.61	8	46
Wavelet	D. T. Willetts	Slp.	31.6	11	1,864.53	8	17
Escort	D. L. Lawrence	Slp.	33.0	11	2.196.10	—	—

The Ray and Wavelet, of the second class, did not start.

In consequence of the force of the wind in the morning previous to starting, and the run of the tide at starting, it was decided that the start should be, with all sails on deck, and that all allowances of time should be given upon coming in.

The yachts were therefore started in classes; the time of starting, together with that of their turning the stake boat off Long Island, and the buoy of the Southwest Spit and arrival, are given in the following tables:

Yachts.	Started	Stake boat at L. Island.	Buoy of S. W. Spit.	Stake boat at E. Fields.	Order of Arrival.
1st class.	H. M. S.	H. M. S.	H. M. S.	H. M. S.	
Widgeon	10 52 00	.. .. ..	12 56 10	3 57 00	6
Julia	.. .. ..	11 48 14	12 48 5	3 48 47	4
Haze	.. .. ..	11 50 00	12 47 00	3 45 45	1
Silvie	.. .. ..	11 52 42	12 49 15	3 48 40	3
Favorita	.. .. ..	11 52 40	12 48 55	3 46 04	2
2d class.					
Rowena	10 45 00	.. .. ..	12 50 50	4 2 45	15
America	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	1 05 25	4 3 38	16
Madgie	.. .. ..	11 48 13	12 53 45	3 56 29	9
Undine	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	1 03 15	4 7 34	19
Sea Drift	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	1 05 02	4 7 9	18
Una	.. .. ..	11 44 00	12 44 00	3 51 14	5
Minnie	.. .. ..	11 45 00	12 47 05	3 54 13	7
Irene	.. .. ..	11 48 00	12 50 05	3 56 40	10
3d class.					
Luckey	10 40 00	11 44 00	12 52 05	4 1 3	14
Margaret	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	12 52 34	4 3 49	17
Island Fawn	.. .. ..	11 46 10	12 51 26	3 58 31	13
Edgar	.. .. ..	11 41 30	12 46 20	3 56 46	11
Richmond	.. .. ..	11 41 00	12 46 00	3 57 17	12
Escort	.. .. ..	11 42 50	12 44 28	3 54 50	8

EXTRA SAILS.

FIRST CLASS.

The Favorita set fore and main gaff topsails, flying jib and staysail, the areas of which are 1,647.86 square feet, equal to 26 min. 58 sec. The Haze set fore and main gaff and jib topsails, flying jib and staysail No. 1, the areas of which are 1,987.69 square feet, equal to 33 min. 7 sec. The Silvie set fore and main gaff topsails and flying jib, the areas of which are 1,145.07 square feet, equal to 19 min. 5 sec. The Widgeon set fore and main gaff and jib topsails, the areas of which are 1,205.55 square feet, equal to 20 min. 5 sec.

SECOND CLASS.

The America set main gaff topsail and staysail, the areas of which are 491.7 square feet, equal to 10 min. and 14 sec. The Sea Drift set main gaff topsail and staysail, the areas of which are 694.32 square feet, equal to 14 min. and 28 sec.

All the above yachts being schooners, the deduction of 10 per cent. from the areas of their sails is here made. These times being added to the times of starting, will give the following corrections:

FIRST CLASS.

Favorita*	0 00	Widgeon	32 14
Julia	46 44	Haze	11 22
Silvie	21 22		

SECOND CLASS.

Sea Drift*	0 00	America	6 52
Irene	9 16	Minnie	9 31
Una	6 38	Undine	15 18
Madgie	15 37	Rowena	34 04

This allowance of start being deducted from the times of sailing, will give the order of speed of each yacht, not only in each class, but in the classes combined.

Name.	Time of Sailing.	Allowance of start.	Net Time.	Order of Class.	Order of Speed.
1st class.	H. M. S.	M. S.	H. M. S.		
Julia	4 58 47	46 44	4 10 03	1	1
Widgeon	5 01 00	32 14	4 28 46	2	2
Silvie	4 56 40	21 22	4 35 18	3	3
Haze	4 53 45	11 22	4 42 23	4	4
Favorita	4 54 04	.. ..	4 54 04	5	6
2d class.					
Rowena	5 17 47	24 04	4 53 04	1	5
Madgie	5 11 20	15 37	4 55 52	2	7
Undine	5 22 34	15 16	5 07 16	6	12
Una	5 06 11	9 33	4 56 36	3	8
Minnie	5 09 13	9 31	4 59 42	4	9
Irene	5 11 40	9 16	5 02 24	5	10
America	5 18 38	6 52	5 11 46	7	17
Sea Drift	5 22 09	.. ..	5 22 09	8	9
3d class.					
Luckey	5 21 03	17 27	5 03 36	1	11
Edgar	5 16 46	9 25	5 07 21	1	13
Island Fawn	5 18 31	11 04	5 07 27	3	14
Richmond	5 17 17	8 46	5 08 31	5	15
Margaret	5 23 49	12 58	5 10 51	5	16
Escort	5 14 50	.. ..	5 14 50	6	18

PROTESTS.

The owner of the Haze submitted protests against the Julia and Favorita, for passing to the westward of a buoy claimed to be on the West Bank, and against the Minnie, for fouling the Haze in turning the buoy of the Southwest Spit.

The owner of the Island Fawn protested against the Luckey, upon the supposition that her sails were of greater area than that by which her allowance of time was computed.

It was submitted, also, to the Committee, that one yacht had passed to the westward of one or more buoys of the West Bank; and that another, in luffing up under the lee of a third, compelled the latter to luff up, and finally to be to windward of her course, to avoid being crowded to the westward of a buoy, to the eastward of which she was compelled to pass by the regulations.

Although the time had passed within which protests could be received against the sailing of a yacht, the Committee felt themselves not only justified, but called upon, before awarding the prizes, in vindication of the integrity of the Club and the justice of their decisions, to consider any facts coming to their knowledge which ought to affect their award.

All the parties interested having been notified to appear before the Committee, and all the cases being considered, the following conclusions were arrived at:

1st. The regulations issued by the Committee for the government of the Regatta declare, "in going and returning, all the buoys *on the West bank* are to be passed to the eastward;" and as it was conceded that the Julia and Una did pass buoy No. 9 to the westward, the question then arose, was this buoy one of those included in the regulations.

On the part of the owners of these yachts, it was alleged 1st. that this buoy was not a buoy of the bank. 2d. That it was known by the pilots as a buoy on a *knoll to the southward* of the bank; that there was a channel inside of it, to the northward; and 3d, That as they were compelled to employ pilots to guide their yachts upon that occasion, that the interpretation of pilots at large, of pilotage directions, should be taken as conclusive as to the application of the rule.

On the other hand, it was argued by the parties who protested, that this buoy was strictly a buoy of the Bank, it being upon the southernmost limit of it and upon the western confines of the channel. That in its construction, color and numbering, it was like the acknowledged buoys of the West Bank, and that it was so considered by the Government Officer at this station, who has them in charge.

In the deliberations of the Committee, it appeared 1st. That in the opinion of Prof. A. D. Bache, Superintendent of the United States Coast Survey, that this buoy was held by him to be a buoy of the West Bank; 2d. That from communications with a large number of pilots, (eighteen,) that they, without a dissenting voice, declared that buoy No. 9 was *off* the Bank; 3d. That it was upon a different bottom from that of the Bank; 4th. That there was a channel inside of it, and that the pilots did not know it as a Bank buoy, and further, that there was no advantage derived from the course held by these yachts.

In view, then, of the elements presented, the Committee entertain the opinions

1. That although buoy No. 9 is, in the opinion of the Chief of the Coast Survey, a buoy of the West Bank, and that it may be hydrographically, yet, that with pilots, seamen and baymen it is known as a buoy off of the West Bank; further, the lettering of that bank upon the Coast Survey charts, the location of the buoy, the character of the bottom there, and the existence of a channel inside of it, are all of a character calculated to render that buoy equally as much a channel buoy as a buoy of the Bank.

2. That there was no advantage to be anticipated or gained in passing to the westward of this buoy, in preference to the eastward of it; that it was passed by the owners of the yachts under the opinion, supported by the unqualified assurance of their pilots, that it was not a buoy on the West Bank, nor was it ever understood to be one.

3. That as it was necessary for the owners of yachts to employ pilots, they should not suffer from the terms of the sailing regulations conflicting with the general understanding of the pilots; if the regulations are held to be ambiguous or imperfect, the error is with the committee and not with the owners of the yachts.

They decide, therefore—

First, That the yachts Julia and Una did not, as claimed by the protests, conflict with the purpose of the sailing regulations, viz., that of passing to the eastward of a buoy on the West Bank, whereby an advantage might be had in running out of the set or strength of the tide.

Second, That the protests against the Favorita and Minnie being withdrawn, the re-measurement of the sails of the Luckey showing their area to conform to that under which she entered, and the charges against the other yachts not having been formally substantiated, that their claims to be placed in the regatta are in no wise forfeited.

Finally, That the prizes in the several classes were respectively won by the Julia, Rowena and Luckey, and that the Widgeon is the winner of the prize for the schooners of the first class.

In conclusion, the Committee recommend to the Club that in future sailing regulations for the same course, the buoys of the West Bank be specified by numbers, as Nos. 11, 13 and 15; and that all yachts entering for a regatta shall be provided with two pieces of canvas, on which shall be painted, in red, their number on the list of entries, one of which their owners be required to secure on each side of the mainsails of their yachts.

Very respectfully,
CHAS. H. HASWELL,
J. HOWARD WAINWRIGHT,
ROBERT O. COLT. } Regatta Committee.

To N. BLOODGOOD, Esq., Secretary New York Yacht Club.

*The time of the Favorita and Sea Drift being zero in their classes, no addition for extra canvas is here made.

DEATH OF A LOVER OF FIELD AND AQUATIC SPORTS.—On the 10th inst., the well-known John C. Stevens, until recently Commodore of the New York Yacht Club, died at his residence in Hoboken, aged 72. The *Tribune*, in speaking of the deceased, says:

Mr. Stevens and his brother, Robert L. Stevens, who died in the Spring of 1856, were noted among boys and men for their love of and skill in land sports and water sports, horses and boats, running, racing, walking and wrestling. Robert was among the fastest runners and most enduring walkers of his day. Once, on a bet made by his brother John, Robert and a younger brother, James A. Stevens, walked sixteen miles in three hours, and after this feat Robert was so fresh that he was able to excel all of his companions on the ground in jumping. Their skill in all that pertains to boats and yachts began in their school days. John's sail-boats and yachts were numerous, and no two of them are alike. To beat the last one was an oft-repeated attempt, and usually the attempt, by its success, cheered and incited them to another trial. The models of the boats and yachts of these skillful and energetic brothers would have been a valuable legacy to science and their country; and it is much to be regretted that they have not been preserved. The fame of several of these vessels has lasted to the present time. "The Trouble"—half as broad as she was long; "The Double Trouble," "The Wave," "The Onkahye," whose speed before the wind was marvelous; then the little "Gimcrack," and last, the far-famed "Maria." The "America" was exceedingly fast, but on a trial had shortly before the "America" sailed for England the "Maria" ran away from her with ease. The models of these vessels were chiefly the fruit of Robert L. Stevens's skill and genius. And in later years a younger brother—Edwin A. Stevens—had a great part in working out and perfecting the lines and bearings of these models. John was the arbiter when the rig, the sail or the trim of the yacht was in question. And he took the helm when the most work was sought to be got out of the craft. Perhaps no one excelled him in sailing a fore-and-aft sail vessel. The "Wave," a sloop of about 70 tuns, with John C. Stevens at the tiller and Hamilton Wilkes at the peak halyards, once ran from New York to Tivoli (100 miles) in between seven and eight hours—a little less than steamboat speed at that time. John C. Stevens is most known to the public, from having, as Commodore of the New York Yacht Club, represented his country on the occasion of the great Regatta off Cowes, in 1850, when the "America" took the prize, offered by one of the English Yacht Clubs, to be contended for by the yachts of all nations. The offer of this prize was thought here to be intended as a challenge from our elder brothers in the mother country to the Neophyte Yacht Club of New York, then recently formed. A few of the stirring spirits of the Club determined to take up the gauntlet. William H. Brown, an intelligent and enterprising ship-builder, offered to build a schooner to be modeled by George Steers, on the following terms: Mr. Brown was to build the Yacht and receive as she progressed, a stipulated sum. If upon trial the new Yacht should beat the Maria, and afterward win the English cup, Brown was to receive $30,000. But if she did not achieve both triumphs, he was to pay back the money already paid to him. Few men would have been so bold. Few knew better than he and Steers did, what they undertook. But they were both possessed of great self-reliance—were conscious of great skill, and were encouraged by previous success. The America was the result of this contract. It is true she was beaten by the Maria—a larger vessel with sloop rig—but she beat the rest of the world, or so much of it as was in the vicinity of the Isle of Wight at the time, and that was glory enough for all concerned. Mr. Steers, with a picked crew, took the America to Havre. Mr. Stevens, with two or three friends, followed in one of the Havre steamers. The America was prepared for the contest at Havre and taken to Cowes. The result was a triumph for the nation; a triumph more grateful and scarcely less illustrious than a victory on the battle field. Both Mr. Brown and Mr. Steers have passed from among us—a loss to be mourned by their countrymen as well as their friends, and now we chronicle the death of the chief of the expedition.

Mr. Stevens's taste for horses has aided much to improve the breed of these animals in this part of the country. His skill and knowledge of the points and condition of a horse, and his judgment in training, enabled him to bring his race horses to the stand on a race day in the best condition of which they were capable. This, with his great self-possession and power of quick decision, gave him great advantages during a race. He was the owner of several of the fleetest racers of his time. His challenge, by the offer of a bet of $20,000 on Eclipse against any Southern horse, resulted in the great race between Eclipse and Henry.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

SPORTING.—At a shooting match which took place at the Red House, Harlem, on the 29th of May last, between W. T. King and John Taylor, a charge of ungentlemanly and unsportsmanlike conduct having been made by Mr. King against Mr. John Sylvester and his friends who were interested in the match, it is but proper and right that the public and those particularly interested in this sport should be set right upon the subject.

The facts are simply as follows: Mr. King made a bet of $50 with Mr. John Sylvester, of Jersey City, "that he (King) could beat any gentleman named by Sylvester in shooting 21 birds, 21 yards rise, 80 yards bounds, guns not exceeding 1⅛ ounces of shot to be used." Twenty dollars were deposited as a forfeit, "*either party failing to be present at 2 o'clock on the day named to forfeit the deposit*" —so much for the conditions. Mr. Sylvester was on the ground with Mr. Taylor, the party selected to shoot against Mr. King, at and before the time specified, and after waiting *fifty-five minutes over the time appointed* for Mr. King to arrive, the forfeit of $20 was claimed by Mr. Sylvester and his friends, and by every one present was acknowledged just and proper. At a quarter past 3 o'clock, Mr. King made his appearance and declined to pay the forfeit, as he was ready to shoot. Mr. Sylvester, willing to extend every courtesy, consented to have the match proceed, which took place and resulted in the defeat of Mr. King. Such are substantially the facts, and it certainly ill becomes a gentleman purporting to have the reputation of being one of the best, if not *the* best pigeon shooter in the United States, (which we believe Mr. King claims to be,) to cover his defeat and screen himself by saying the treatment he received was "ungentlemanly an unsportsmanlike," and that he would not again shoot with Mr. Taylor—such was the opinion of those present, disinterested, and of one who knows and can prove all he asserts, and who desires nothing more than fair play.

At the time the foregoing match was made, two other matches were made between Mr. W. Brown and Mr. J. Sylvester, to take place as follows: The 1st match at Jersey City, 2nd of June inst.; and the 2nd match at the Red House, at Harlem, on June 9th inst.; Mr. King and Oscar Sandford shooting for Mr. Brown, and Mr. Taylor and Jas. Tomlinson shooting for Mr. Sylvester. The conditions of these two matches were substantially the same as those of the preceding, and $40 each forfeit was deposited with Mr. Brown. On the 2nd inst., Mr. Sylvester with his friends was on the ground ready to shoot, but neither Mr. Brown nor any of his friends made their appearance, nor did he or they notify Mr. S. that they wound not shoot. On the 3rd inst., Mr. S. went to Harlem, and saw Mr. Brown, who assured Mr. S. that if he would come up on the following Saturday it would be all right, and the forfeit would be paid. Mr. S. went to Harlem accordingly, but Mr. Brown was not there, and he was flatly refused the forfeit by a party there in charge. These are briefly the facts, and if the charge of ungentlemanly and unsportsmanlike conduct rests on any one it certainly does not rest on Mr. Sylvester—whether Mr. King is fearful of losing the reputation he assumes to have, in shooting against Mr. Taylor, we leave to the lovers of this sport to decide upon the foregoing statement. It would be advisable, however, for parties intending or wishing to shoot to be careful how they deposit their money. H.

EXTRAORDINARY TRAP SHOOTING.—Cincinnati, June 14, 1857:—After an absence of some months from home, I again have the pleasure of giving you a *report* of pigeon or trap shooting; an amusement much indulged in by many of the readers, in this section, of your agreeable CLIPPER, and a *typographical* review of which is always especially interesting to them. My object in writing you, now, is suggested by reading an account of some good trap shooting at Camden, N. J., in your last issue, in which trial of skill, a Mr. Vance was the victor.

Yesterday, at the Avenue House, (Jim McClellan's) a fashionable place of resort a few miles from this city, several gentlemen met to engage in two proposed matches—10 birds each—80 yards bounds; the first for a superior shot (double) gun, the other for an elegant gold watch and a superbly mounted revolver. The following is the order and summary of the sport:

FIRST MATCH.

J. Ferguson	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	—all 10
H. Scibert	1 0 1 1 1 1 1 0	—6 out of 8
R. W. Neff	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	—all 10
W. Mitchell	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0	—8 out of 9
Major Downing	1 1 1 0 1 1 1 0 1 1	—8 out of 10
J. Butternuller	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	—7 out of 8
A. Grim	0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	—7 out of 8

SECOND MATCH.

R. W. Neff	1 1 0 1 1 1 1 1	—7 out of 8
J. Ferguson	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	—all 10
J. Spencer	1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1 1	—8 out of 9
S. Seaman	1 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1	—8 out of 9
W. Mitchell	1 1 1 1 0 1 1 1	—7 out of 8
R. W. Neff, second chance	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	—all 10
T. Brown	1 0 1 1 1 1 1	—6 out of 7
A. Grim	0 0 0	—0 out of 3

By the above you will perceive that Messrs. Neff and Ferguson were the winners in both cases—the former losing but one bird out of 28 shots, and Ferguson hitting all his birds, say 20. Neff, you will notice, had two

chances in the last match. After the prizes were handed over to these gentlemen, who, as the summary shows, were *joint* victors, they shot against each other for the prizes severally—10 birds each. Ferguson beat Neff by one bird—winning the gun—killing all; and Neff, for the watch and revolver killing all his birds—20—beating Ferguson 2 birds for the former and 1 bird for the revolver. Thus your Camden and other readers will notice that out of 58 shots, Neff killed 56 birds. This performance is believed to be unprecedented, yet Neff says he would have *saved* the missing two that flew away, *if he had aimed straighter and the birds had fallen killed within the bounds.* This opinion cannot well be disputed and he should have the benefit of it. I will write you again soon.

Yours, GUNLOCK.

MATCHES IN CALIFORNIA.—Several pigeon shooting matches came off in Sacramento in the early part of May last. The third match was for $500 a side, between the San Francisco and Sacramento Clubs, which resulted in favor of the former. We subjoin the report:

First Match—Twenty double birds each.

Fairfax	11221111122—14	Stout	01120012111— 9
Lippincott	20212121222—15	Esty	01112222121—13
Eyre	11111100111— 8	Ellery	22100221122—13
Total	37	Total	35

Second Match—Ten single birds each.

Proctor	0111100101—6	Smith	1100001010—4

Third Match—Shot by Messrs. Aylett and Adams, of Sacramento, and Farwell Brothers, of San Francisco. Five double birds each.

Aylett	11110—4	W. B. Farwell	11122—7
Adams	01210—4	J. M. Farwell	2202 —6
Total	8	Total	13

J. M. Farwell's fifth fire was reserved inasmuch as the match was previously won by the side, without it.

CRICKET.

NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE appointed to select the players to contend against Canada request Clubs to forward to Mr. Robert Waller, New York, on or before the 10th of July, 1857, a list of the names of any players they consider eligible, and who will go if selected; also what proportion they will bear of the expenses of the match.

NEW YORK VS. NEWARK.—The second eleven of these two clubs played a game of cricket (we can't call it a match) on Thursday, the 18th inst., when the former were defeated most overwhelmingly. That defeat may be attributed chiefly to the want of punctuality and attention to appointments so characteristic of said second eleven. The game of one innings each was commenced at 2 P. M. by the Newark gentlemen going to the wickets, and in three hours they ran up a score of 113. The New York followed, and with one man short scored but 30. Where an eleven is so overmatched, it would be ridiculous to enter into detail in reference to the play of any; still, we would not have it understood that the general play of the Newark gentlemen was underrated, for the figures in the score below will show the reverse to be the case; suffice it to say, that the New Yorkers were out bowled, out-batted, out-fielded, out-generalled, and out of place altogether, consequently we see nothing wonderful in their getting such an out-and-out licking. We hope it will serve as a lesson to them in future, not to send an eleven by detachments, but altogether or not at all. The gentlemen of St. George, en route for Philadelphia, gave them a salute as they passed in the cars, when a general waving of handkerchiefs and hats was kept up until they were out of sight. Mr. Atherly gave up the ball on behalf of the New York Club, and Mr. Ford accepted it for the Newark, when each made some very appropriate remarks, the former giving notice that the result would be very different in the return match. The following is the score:

NEWARK.		NEW YORK.	
1. Ledwith b Atherly	23	1. Max c Greathead b Hedges	0
2. Ward c and b Rochford	0	2. Bray b Ward	0
3. Hedges b Atherly	10	3. Rochford b Ward	7
4. Cautey c Max b Balliere	18	4. Wilson b Ward	2
5. Clark c and b Atherly	8	5. Atherly b Ward	4
6. Greathead b Atherly	2	6. Balliere c Clark b Ward	9
7. Anthony c Balliere b Atherly	8	7. Ibbotson b Ward	0
8. Kidd b Atherly	4	8. Mosley b Kidd	1
9. Van Houten leg before wicket b. Atherly	10	9. Wakefield not out	2
10. McNair c Max b Atherly	8	10. Bramwell hit wicket b Kidd	0
11. Smith not out	1	Byes 1, wides 4	5
Byes 6, leg byes 2, wides 18	21		
Total	113	Total	30

LONG ISLAND VS. BROOKLYN.—The match between the 2nd elevens—so called—of these clubs, was played at Bedford on the 16th inst., and the result was the complete success of the Brooklyn eleven. Neither of these clubs are yet strong enough to have two elevens among them, and therefore any match that does not bring full strength of club against club, must necessarily be a one-sided affair. Such was the case in this instance. The Brooklyn Club can muster a larger number of good players than the Long Island can, and a match where a certain number of the best players on each side are barred, is not a second eleven match, by any means, the only fair way, being, to first select a list of the first eleven, and then play the remaining members. The above match however was a very lively and interesting one indeed, and was enjoyed by all, the utmost good feeling being evinced by the members of both clubs. The fielding and batting was but so, so, on the Long Island side, but their bowling was the best. Both clubs played very well indeed, considering the number of young players on each side. Especially did the Americans distinguish themselves; the playing of Messrs. *Merwyn, Day, Walden, Walker, Garrison*, and *Uris* being quite spirited. The two former will yet do something extra for their respective clubs before the season is over. A word in your ears, gentlemen. Never have other than *experienced* cricketers as umpires if you wish their decision to be satisfactory. The following is the score:

LONG ISLAND.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. Jones c Mac b Mac	1	c Merwyn b Mac	14
2. Hartshorne b Walden	1	b Mac	5
3. Aylmer c Mac b Mac	2	c Floyd b Mac	5
4. Walker b Mac	0	leg before wicket b Mac	4
5. Day b Mac	12	st Bainbridge	2
6. Thornton b Mac	3	b Walden	0
7. Uris b Mac	5	b Walden	1
8. Robb run out	9	c Merwyn b Mac	1
9. Bennett b Walden	0	b Walden	0
10. James run out	0	not out	0
11. Eastmead not out	2	b Walden	0
Byes	5	Byes 4, leg bye 1	5
Total	40	Total	37

BROOKLYN.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. Mac b Hartshorne	0	b Walker	5
2. Walden b Hartshorne	11		
3. Castle b Walker	3	not out	7
4. Garrison c Thornton b Walker	9		
5. Merwyn c Aylmer b Walker	7		
6. Pigot not out	0		
7. Floyd b Walker	2		
8. Bainbridge c Thornton b Walker	16		
9. McIntosh c James b Walker	12		
10. McKean b Walker	3		
11. Sweetland not out	0	not out	1
Byes	2		
Total	65	Total	13

DECATUR VS. MAGNOLIA.—A spirited and well contested match took place on Saturday, the 13th inst., between these two clubs, on the grounds of the Lillywhite Club at West Philadelphia. The bowling, fielding and general play were excellent, which speaks well for the batting, as several good scores were made. For further particulars we must refer our readers to the score below, as space forbids our giving the original and more elaborate report.

DECATUR.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. Jackson b Smith	0	c Carver b Smith	0
2. Jones b Smith	2	b Smith	0
3. Hoyt b Smith	20	c Ducan b Smith	2
4. Jenkins b Smith	0	c Butcher b Godwin	13
5. McBride b Smith	0	b Smith	7
6. Lane b Godwin	3	not out	2
7. White c Butcher b Godwin	0	c Smith b Butcher	0
8. Graffin run out	6	b Butcher	3
9. S. Lane b Smith	2	b Butcher	0
10. Creighton not out	1	b Smith	3
11. McGarry run out	0	c Simes b Butcher	2
Byes 3, leg bye 1	4	Byes 4, leg byes 2, no balls 3	9
Total	38	Total	41

MAGNOLIA.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. Godwin c McGarry*	4	c White b Jenkins	10
2. Duncan b Jenkins	3	c Hoyt*	11
3. Johnson b Lane	5	c Jenkins*	3
4. Smith b Jenkins	1	c Lane b Hoyt	1
5. Butcher b Hoyt	3	b McBride	11
6. Carver c Graffin*	1	b Lane	16
7. Young b Lane	3	not out	7
8. S. Simes b McBride	1	not out	4
9. Elliot b McBride	0	not out	0
10. J. Simes b Jenkins	0	not out	0
11. Bull not out	1	c Lane*	2
Byes 3, wide 1	4	Wide	1
Total	26	Total	66

Umpire for Magnolia.....Mr. F. Jenkins.
" " Decatur.....Mr. Dougherty.

* Will our numerous cricket correspondents be so good as to give the bowler's as well as the catcher's name when a catch is made.

KEYSTONE VS. GERMANTOWN.—A match was played on Saturday, June 13, near Germantown, between the Keystone Cricket Club of Philadelphia, and the Second Eleven of the Germantown Cricket Club, resulting in the defeat of the Germantowners by 22 runs. On the side of the Keystone, A. Waterman and Creely showed the handsomest batting, and Hanson and Newlin felled the most wickets. Tucker, of the Germantown, also batted well, and, although a very careless player, managed to run up a score of 12 by hitting wildly at every ball. The following is the score:

KEYSTONE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. C. Waterman b Tucker	5	run out	0
2. Fenimore run out	5	b Massey	4
3. Hanson c Mehl b Mehl	0	c Mehl b Mehl	1
4. A. Waterman b Mehl	9	c Mayard b Mehl	14
5. Newlin b Tucker	2	b Massey	1
6. Bingham c Massey b Tucker	0	b Massey	6
7. Creely c Bayard b Tucker	12	c Bayard b Massey	7
8. Fryer b Mehl	1	not out	4
9. Staley c Massey b Mehl	0	b Mehl	0
10. Wray b Tucker	5	b Mehl	0
11. Eakin not out	1	b Massey	4
Bye	1	Bye 1, no ball 1	2
Total	41	Total	43

GERMANTOWN.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. Massey c Fenimore b A. Waterman	3	c A. Waterman b A. Waterman	9
2. C. Mears c Bingham b Newlin	1	run out	2
3. Mehl b Newlin	2	b A. Waterman	1
4. Tucker b Hanson	10	c A. Waterman b Hanson	2
5. Wistar b Hanson	6	c Bingham b Newlin	0
6. Thayer b Hanson	1	b Newlin	1
7. Fisher c Creely b Hanson	0	b Newlin	7
8. Flinn b Newlin	0	c Creely b Hanson	0
9. Bayard not out	0	run out	4
10. Trichel b Hanson	0	b Newlin	6
11. Russel b Hanson	0	not out	1
Wide	1	Wides 4, bye 1	5
Total	24	Total	38

Umpire for the Keystone.....Mr. C. Clay.
" " Germantown.....Mr. C. Hunt.

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FOREIGN SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

From Bell's Life in London, May 31, 1857.

THE RING.

FIGHTS TO COME.

JUNE 8.—Riley and Rafferty—£20 a side, Birmingham.
15.—Morrell and Davies—£10 a side, Wellington.
16.—The Tipton Slasher and Tom Sayers—£200 a side and the Champion's Belt, London.
23.—Dan Morris and Brooks—£50 a side, London.
30.—Joe White and Jack Bath—£25 a side, Liverpool.
30.—Baldock and Harris—£25 a side, London.
JULY 28.—Hatton and Baker—£65 a side, London.
AUG. 4.—Roberts and Welsh—£50 a side, Home Circuit.
11.—Alf Walker and Tommy Smith—£50 a side, London.
14.—Brettle and Job Cobley—£100 a side, London.
SEPT. 23.—Ben Caunt and Nat Langham—£200 a side, London.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE TIPTON SLASHER AND TOM SAYERS.—The thirteenth deposit of £10 a side, for this match, was made on Thursday night, at Mr. Lipman's, King of Prussia, Middlesex street, Whitechapel, in the presence of a large number of East End sportsmen. We are now within three weeks of the eventful day. The excitement increases immensely, and the betting, now that the Derby is over, will, no doubt, be proportionably heavy. Both men are in active training, and report speaks highly of their condition. The next deposit of £20 a side is to be made at Owen Swift's, Horseshoe, Tichbourne street, Haymarket, on Tuesday evening.

MICKY (THE GRECIAN) AND JAMES (ALIAS GINGER).—These Birmingham men met on Monday at Bromford, near Erdington, seven miles from home, at catch weight, for £5 a side. The first part of the fight was in favor of James, and the betting was therefore 2 to 1 on him, but after a brief space the Grecian changed his tactics, and drew first blood from the left ogle of Ginger in the ninth round, and got the knock-down blow in the fourteenth. During the remainder of a protracted fight he had it pretty well all his own way, planting some heavy right-handers on the jaws of Ginger, and getting well home on his ribs. Ginger, in several rounds, managed to get home on the Grecian's nob, and darkened both his peepers, but his blows were not so effective as those of the Grecian. After two hours and fifteen minutes Ginger's friends, seeing he had no chance, threw up the sponge in token of defeat, after fighting fifty-eight rounds.

CAUNT AND NAT LANGHAM.—In reply to the remarks on the subject of this match which we felt called upon to publish in our last, we have received the following letter from Ben Caunt:—"Mr. Editor: A thousand rumors have obtained circulation respecting my present match with Langham, all of which more or less disparage the affair. Anticipative commentaries on the forthcoming fight are promulgated without hesitation, and, I must add, received without that caution which it is as necessary should be exercised when other men's business is under discussion, for the sake of common justice, as when the probability of deception only extends to our immediate concerns. Therefore, Mr. Editor, I respectfully ask that you will admit into your colums this declaration on my part:—That my match with Langham is the result of a dispute that can only be settled, so far as I am concerned, by an appeal to the fists. That the articles will be strictly abided by on my part, and that so far from throwing any impediment in the way of the match, it is my anxious desire to bring it to an issue in the Ring. Thus far, I beg my friends will take my assurance of 'honorable intentions.' Were they but aware of the personal tendency of the affair, such assurance would not be needed; but, as many must necessarily be unacquainted with its cause of origin, it is due to my own character to take the course I have now done in writing to you an emphatic statement of my intentions, which I solemnly assert are unalterable, until that result comes to pass which shall prove either me or my antagonist the better man.—Yours, &c, BENJAMIN CAUNT.—Coach and Horses, St. Martin's-lane, London, May 27, 1857."—Ben. has also paid us a personal visit, and repeated the statements contained in his letter, and in addition has given up all claim to the forfeit, which, from the first, we believe was not his own doing. The third deposit of £10 a side was duly made at his house on the 27th inst., and the fourth, of a like amount, is to be made at Harry Sims, Brown Bear, Grafton street, Soho, on the 3d of June.

COBLEY AND BRETTLE.—The third deposit of £10 a side for this match is to be made at Solid Coate's, Old Crown, Tower street, Birmingham, on Tuesday evening.

ALF WALKER AND TOMMY SMITH.—These lads have drawn articles to fight, for £50 a side, on the 11th of August, in the London district. £5 a side was staked in the hands of Jemmy Massey on Tuesday.

AQUATICS.

FATAL BOAT-RACE ON THE RIVER.—A boat race took place on the river on Saturday evening, May 23, which resulted in the death of one of the competitors, a fine young man, aged 21, clerk to Mr. Hackett, barrister, of King's Bench-walk, Temple. It appears that the unfortunate deceased made a wager to row a fellow clerk from Westminster Bridge to Blackfriars Bridge. They hired old-fashioned wager-boats from the stairs at the foot of Surrey-street, and started on the race from Westminster Bridge, each boat being accompanied by a four-oared cutter. The deceased gradually drew in advance, and on nearing Blackfriars Bridge his competitor had given up the race. The unfortunate fellow kept on, and passed through Blackfriars Bridge. Here, it seems, he had some difficulty in bringing his boat round, owing to the rapid ebb tide, and, to add to his difficulty, the swell from the Lotus steamer broke over into his boat. He apparently became alarmed at his position, and lost hold of one of his sculls, and in endeavoring to regain it, the boat overturned on the top of him. The cutter which was with him, but some yards in advance, put back to his aid as soon as they observed the accident. By this time he had got clear from the boat, and could be seen clinging to the scull. This kept him afloat for three or four minutes, but, unhappily, before the cutter could rescue him, he disappeared and perished.

CANDLISH AND CHAMBERS.—These watermen have at last entered into an agreement to row a sculler's contest. The following is a copy of the articles: "James Candlish and Robert Chambers agree to row a right away scullers' match from the High Level Bridge to Scotswood Suspension Bridge, for £50 a side (articles to be left open for £100 a side.) The race to take place on Monday, the 17th day of August, one hour before high water, and in case of foul the umpires to be guided by the laws of boat racing. £10 a side is already deposited in the hands of Mr. H. Clasper, and the next deposits to take place as follows: £10 to be made good on Saturday (yesterday) at the King's Head Inn, St. Anthony's; the next deposit of £10 to be made at Mr. Wm. Candlish's, Clavering Arms, Gateshead, on the 13th of June; the next, of £10, at the King's Head Inn, on the 27th of June; the next, of £10, at Mr. Blakey's, Boar's Head Inn, Westgate, on the 11th of July. The final deposit of £10 a side to be made good at Mr. R. Newton's, Ridley Arms, Pilgrim-street, who is the final stakeholder. Umpires and referee to be selected on the day of the race, and the decision of the latter to be final. (Signed) JAMES CANDLISH. ROBERT CHAMBERS."

ROYAL THAMES NATIONAL REGATTA.—This great Regatta, under the especial patronage of Her Majesty, the Emperor of the French, the King of the Belgians, and the Duke of Cambridge, and under the vice-patronage of a vast number of the nobility and gentry, takes place at Putney, on Tuesday the 7th, Wednesday the 8th, and Thursday the 9th of July. The services which are done the country by this great national festival are too well known to need any further comment; suffice it to say that were it not for this Regatta, the amount of sport on the river would be greatly diminished. A friendly rivalry is also excited between watermen, boatmen, and others, in different localities, and in order to show how great a feature is the aquatic world, no less than 1500 watermen, from London alone, entered her Majesty's service in the late war. This fete, as well as giving handsome prizes to watermen and others, is a source of great benefit to boat-builders, scull-makers, and others.

THE TURF.

EPSOM RACES.—THE OAKS DAY.

Friday, May 29, 1857.

THE OAKS STAKES of 50 sovs each, h ft; for three year old fillies, 8st 7lb each; the owner of the second filly to receive 100 sovs out of the stakes; the winner to pay 100 sovs towards the police and regulations of the Course, and 30 sovs to the Judge; the last mile and a half, to be run on the new Course. (130 subs.)

Mr. I'Anson's Blink Bonny, by Melbourne	Charlton	1
Mr. Jackson's Sneeze	Aldcroft	2
Lord J. Scott's Mœstissima	Ashmall	3
Mr. John Scott's Imperieuse	Flatman	4
Lord Clifden's Sister to Jesuit	Sly	5
Duke of Beaufort's Vigil	A. Day	6
Mr. Fitzwilliam's Aspasia	S. Rogers	7
Mr. T. Walker's Orianda	Kendall	8
Mr. F. Fisher's Cantrip	Hughes	9
Mr. Sutton's Hegira	H. Robinson	10
Lord Glasgow's Miss Whip filly, by Birdcatcher	Wells	11
Mr. Osborne's Augury	Osborne	12
Lord Anglesey's Tricolor	G. Fordham	13

THE BETTING.

6 to 4 on Blink Bonny.	25 to 1 agst Vigil.
3 to 1 agst Imperieuse.	100 to 1 agst Cantrip (offered.)
20 to 1 agst Orianda.	

The start, which took place at ten minutes past three, was preceded by two failures, the first caused by Cantrip breaking away, and the second owing to the fractiousness of Tricolor, who refused to go to the post. The Vigil showed in advance for about three hundred yards, when Hegira, who was started to cut out the work for the favorite, rushed past her and took a clear lead, followed by The Virgil, Tricolor, and Augury—Imperieuse, Sister to Jesuit, Orianda, Sneeze, and Blink Bonny, lying next in a body, Mœstissima behind them, and Lord Glasgow's filly and Cantrip some lengths in the rear of her. There was no change until passing the mile-post, when Hegira having shot her bolt dropped rapidly astern, leaving the lead once more with the Vigil, who on the retirement of Tricolor was followed to Tattenham Corner by Augury, Imperieuse, Sister to Jesuit, Blink Bonny, Sneeze, and Orianda, who clustered together in descending the hill, at the foot of which Orianda and Augury were disposed of. The race, in fact, may be said to have been over at that point, for directly after entering the straight the favorite galloped through her horses, quitted them in a couple of strides, and increasing her lead as she went on, won pulling double by eight lengths—making such an example of her followers that the judge had no difficulty in placing the lot, which, to commemorate so memorable an event he accomplished. All doubts respecting the issue being over at the road, what little interest thereafter attached to the race centered in the competition for second money, which Sneeze secured by an advantage of four lengths over Mœstissima, who, overpaced in the early part, began to catch the beaten lot from Tattenham Corner, and passing Sister to Jesuit, and Vigil half-way between the road and the distance, headed Imperieuse, who was not persevered with from the Stand, and obtained the barren honor of third place, the interval between her and John Scott's mare being the same as between the second and third. The others were widely scattered, Tricolour being tailed off an immense distance. Run in 2mins. 50secs. Net value of the stakes, £3,565.

WINNER OF THE OAKS.

Yr.	Owner.	Winner.	Age	S.	P.	Riders.	Time.
1779	Lord Derby	Bridget	1*	12	8	R. Goodison	
1780	Mr. Douglas	Teetotum	11	11	11		
1781	Lord Grosvenor	Faith	10	6	6		
1782	Lord Grosvenor	Ceres	22	12	3	Chifney, sr.	
1783	Lord Grosvenor	Maid of the Oaks	22	10	3	Chifney, sr.	
1784	Mr. Burton	Stella	21	10	3	C. Hindley	
1785	Lord Clermont	Trifle	24	8	8	J. Bird	
1786	Sir F. Standish	Perdita filly	24	13	4	J. Edwards	
1787	Mr. Vernon	Annette	24	8	3	Fitzpatrick	
1788	Lord Egremont	Nightshade	18	7	7	Fitzpatrick	
1789	Lord Egremont	Tag	18	7	5	Chifney, sr.	
1790	Duke of Bedford	Hyppolita	18	12	4	Chifney, sr.	
1791	Duke of Bedford	Portia	38	9	4	J. Singleton	
1792	Lord Clermont	Violante	38	11	4	C. Hindley	
1793	Duke of Bedford	Cælia	37	10	4	J. Singleton	
1794	Lord Derby	Hermione	31	8	8	S. Arnull	
1795	Lord Egremont	Platina	42	11	2	Fitzpatrick	
1796	Sir F. Standish	Parasote	42	13	3	J. Arnull	
1797	Lord Grosvenor	Nikè	31	5	5	Buckle	
1798	Mr. Durand	Bellissima	31	7	7	Buckle	
1799	Lord Grosvenor	Bellini	24	4	4	Buckle	
1800	Lord Egremont	Ephemera	24	8	8	Fitzpatrick	
1801	Sir C. Bunbury	Eleanor	18	6	5	Saunders	
1802	Mr. Wastell	Scotia	17	6	6	Buckle	
1803	Sir T. Gascoigne	Theophania	24	7	7	Buckle	
1804	Duke of Grafton	Pelisse	25	8	8	Clift	
1805	Lord Grosvenor	Meteora	27	8	8	Buckle	
1806	Mr. Craven	Bronze	27	12	4	W. Edwards	
1807	Gen. Grosvenor	Briseis	33	13	3	S. Chifney	
1808	Duke of Grafton	Morel	31	10	4	Clift	
1809	General Gower	Maid of Orleans	33	11	4	J. Moss	
1810	Sir W. Gerard	Oriana	38	11	8	W. Peirse	
1811	Duke of Rutland	Sorcery	40	12	3	Chifney	
1812	Mr. Hewett	Manuella	40	12	3	W. Peirse	
1813	Duke of Grafton	Music	44	9	3	Goodison	
1814	Duke of Rutland	Medora	44	9	4	Barnard	
1815	Duke of Grafton	Minuet	48	11	3	T. Goodison	
1816	General Gower	Landscape	48	11	3	S. Chifney	
1817	Mr. Watson	Neva	47	11	4	Buckle	
1818	Mr. Undy	Corinne	47	10	3	Buckle	
1819	Mr. Thornhill	Shoveller	39	10	3	S. Chifney	
1820	Lord Egremont	Caroline	39	18	3	H. Edwards	
1821	Lord Exeter	Augusta	43	7	7	J. Robinson	
1822	Duke of Grafton	Pastille	42	10	2	H. Edwards	
1823	Duke of Grafton	Zinc	43	10	3	Buckle	
1824	Lord Jersey	Cobweb	41	13	2	Robinson	
1825	Gen. Grosvenor	Wings	50	10	3	S. Chifney	
1826	Mr. Forth	Lilias	49	15	3	Lye	
1827	Dk of Richmond	Gulnare	79	19	2	F. Boyce	
1828	Duke of Grafton	Turquoise	78	14	2	J. B. Day	
1829	Lord Exeter	Green Mantle	77	14	2	Dockeray	
1830	Mr. Stonehewer	Variation	77	18	3	G. Edwards	
1831	Duke of Grafton	Oxygen	86	21	4	J. B. Day	
1832	Lord Exeter	Galata	83	19	3	Conolly	
1833	Sir M. Wood	Vespa	97	19	3	Chapple	
1834	Mr. Cosby	Mr. Pussy	95	15	3	J. B. Day	
1835	Mr. Mostyn	Queen of Trumps	98	10	10	Lye	
1836	Mr. Scott	Cyprian	98	12	2	Scott	
1837	Mr. Powlett	Miss Letty	92	13	3	J. Holmes	
1838	Lord Chesterfield	Industry	98	16	2	Scott	
1839	Mr. F. Craven	Deception	95	13	3	J. B. Day	
1840	Lord G. Bentinck	Crucifix	103	15	3	J. B. Day	
1841	Ld Westminster	Ghuznee	118	22	2	Scott	
1842	Mr. G. Dawson	Our Nell	151	16	2	Lye	
1843	Mr. Ford	Polson	91	23	2	F. Butler	
1844	Col. Anson	The Princess	117	25	3	F. Butler	
1845	Dk of Richmond	Refraction	128	21	4	H. Bell	M. s.
1846	Mr. Gully	Mendicant	140	24	3	S. Day	2 55
1847	Sir J. Hawley	Miami	152	23	4	Templeman	2 54
1848	Mr. H. Hill	Cymba	152	26	3	Templeman	2 48
1949	Lord Chesterfield	Lady Evelyn	172	15	4	F. Butler	2 56
1850	Mr. Hobson	Rhedycina	128	15	3	F. Butler	2 56
1851	Lord Stanley	Iris	131	15	4	F. Butler	2 52
1852	Mr. J. Scott	Songstress	123	14	4	F. Butler	3 00
1853	Mr. Wauchope	Catherine Hayes	141	17	4	Marlow	2 52
1854	Mr. Cookson	Mincemeat	158	15	4	Charlton	3 00
1855	Mr. R. Read	Marchioness	162	11	4	Templeman	2 58
1856	Mr. H. Hill	Mincepie	137	10	4	A. Day	3 4
1857	Mr. W. I'Anson	Blink Bonny	130	13	13	Charlton	2 50

WINNERS OF THE DERBY.

Yr.	Owner.	Winner.	Age	S.	P.	Rider.	Time.
1780	Sir C. Bunbury	Diomed	36	9	5	S. Arnull	
1781	Mr. O'Kelly	Y. Eclipse	35	15	3	Hindley	
1782	Lord Egremont	Assassin	35	13	3	S. Arnull	
1783	Mr. Parker	Saltram	34	6	6	Hindley	
1784	Mr. O'Kelly	Serjeant	30	11	3	J. Arnull	
1785	Lord Claremont	Almwell	29	10	4	Hindley	
1786	Mr. Panton	Noble	29	15	5	J. White	
1787	Lord Derby	Sir Peter Teazle	33	7	3	S. Arnull	
1788	Prince of Wales	Sir Thomas	30	11	5	W. South	
1789	Duke of Bedford	Skyscraper	30	11	6	Chifney, sr.	
1790	Lord Grosvenor	Rhadamanthus	32	10	5	J. Arnull	
1791	Duke of Bedford	Eager	32	9	4	Stephenson	
1792	Lord Grosvenor	John Bull	32	7	7	Buckle	
1793	Sir F. Poole	Waxy	50	13	6	Clift	
1794	Lord Grosvenor	Dædalus	49	4	4	Buckle	
1795	Sir F. Standish	Spread Eagle	45	11	5	A. Wheatley	
1796	Sir F. Standish	Didelot	45	11	3	J. Arnull	
1797	Duke of Bedford	C-s to Pharamond	37	7	7	J. Singleton	
1798	Mr. Cookson	Sir Harry	37	10	5	S. Arnull	
1799	Sir F. Standish	Archduke	33	11	4	J. Arnull	
1800	Mr. Wilson	Champion	33	13	5	Clift	
1801	Sir C. Bunbury	Eleanor	31	11	11	Saunders	
1802	Duke of Grafton	Tyrant	30	9	9	Buckle	
1803	Sir H. Williamson	Ditto	35	6	6	Clift	
1804	Lord Egremont	Hannibal	33	8	8	W. Arnull	
1805	Lord Egremont	Card. Beaufort	39	15	5	Fitzpatrick	
1806	Lord Foley	Paris	39	12	3	Shepherd	
1807	Lord Egremont	Election	38	13	3	J. Arnull	
1808	Sir H. Williamson	Pan	38	10	4	Collinson	
1809	Duke of Grafton	Pope	45	10	6	Goodison	
1810	Duke of Grafton	Whalebone	45	11	3	Clift	
1811	Sir J. Shelley	Phantom	48	16	2	Buckle	
1812	Mr. Ladbroke	Octavius	47	14	3	W. Arnull	
1813	Sir C. Bunbury	Smolensko	51	12	3	Goodison	
1814	Lord Stawell	Blucher	51	14	2	W. Arnull	
1815	Duke of Grafton	Whisker	51	13	2	Goodison	
1816	Duke of York	Prince Leopold	51	11	3	Wheatley	
1817	Mr. Payne	Azor	56	13	2	Robinson	
1818	Mr. Thornhill	Sam	56	16	9	S. Chifney	
1819	Duke of Portland	Tiresias	54	16	2	Clift	
1820	Mr. Thornhill	Sailor	52	15	3	S. Chifney	
1821	Mr. Hunter	Gustavus	54	13	3	S. Day	
1822	Duke of York	Moses	53	12	3	Goodison	
1823	Mr. Udny	Emilius	60	11	2	Buckle	
1824	Sir J. Shelley	Cedric	58	17	2	Robinson	
1825	Lord Jersey	Middleton	58	8	3	Robinson	
1826	Lord Egremont	Lapdog	57	19	3	Dockeray	
1827	Lord Jersey	Mameluke	89	23	2	Robinson	
1828	Duke of Rutland	Cadland	89	5	2	Robinson	
1829	Mr. Gratwicke	Frederick	89	17	2	Forth	
1830	Mr. Chifney	Priam	89	23	3	S. Day	
1831	Lord Lowther	Spaniel	105	23	2	Wheatley	
1832	Mr. Ridsdale	St. Giles	101	22	3	Scott	
1833	Mr. Sadler	Dangerous	124	26	3	Chapple	
1834	Mr. Batson	Plenipotentiary	123	23	3	Conolly	
1835	Mr. Bowes	Mundig	128	14	2	Scott	
1836	Lord Jersey	Bay Middleton	128	21	3	Robinson	
1837	Lord Berners	Phosphorus	131	17	2	G. Edwards	
1838	Sir G. Heathcote	Amato	134	23	3	Chapple	
1839	Mr. W. Ridsdale	Bloomsbury	143	21	2	Templeman	
1840	Mr. Robertson	Little Wonder	144	17	2	Macdonald	
1841	Mr. Rawlinson	Coronation	154	29	2	Conolly	
1842	Col. Anson	Attila	180	24	2	Scott	
1843	Mr. Bowes	Cotherstone	155	23	2	Scott	
1844	Col. Peel	Orlando	153	29	4	Flatman	
1845	Mr. Gratwicke	Merry Monarch	137	31	4	F. Bell	M. s.
1846	Mr. Gully	Pyrrhus the First	193	27	3	S. Day	2 55
1847	Mr. Pedley	Cossack	188	32	3	Templeman	2 52
1848	Lord Clifden	Surplice	215	7	4	Templeman	2 48
1849	Lord Eglinton	The F. Dutchman	237	28	4	Marlow	3 00
1850	Lord Zetland	Vo

with St. Lawrence and The Widow), took £20,000 to a coat, waistcoat, and hat about the horse winning the Derby. The bet, however, was cancelled by the owner's consent, from the fact of his having taken from the same leading bookmaker £10,000 to £150 about the horse, and Mr. Drinkald likewise invested a further sum upon him of £10,000 to £20—taken from Mr. Davis. In the ring, the horse was not backed for a "fiver." Zuyder Zee twisted one of his foreplates in the race, and Newton-le-Willows pulled up lame. Blink Bonny stands 15 hands, 2½ inches high, and has a white blaze on her face, near the nostril. Jem Robinson, Templeman and Chappell have ridden the winners of Derby and Oaks, in the same year, as well as Charlton.

PEDESTRIANISM.

FOUR MILE FOOT RACE.—Upwards of 1,000 spectators were present at the Copenhagen Race Course, May 25, to witness John Tetlow, of Hollinwood, try his locomotive powers in a race of four miles, for £20 a side, with Ward, of Chadderton, near Oldham, a comparative youngster, having only attained his majority two years ago. The veteran found most favor with the betting fraternity, who freely bazarded 6 and 7 to 4 on him The youngster took the lead, but had scarcely proceeded 100 yards, before the old'un gave him the go-by. They alternately passed each other every 100 yards for two and a half miles, when Ward exhibited symptoms of being used up. To complete the entire distance (four miles,) it was necessary to run 11 times round the course, with an addition of 418 yards. In the eleventh circuit, Ward was 180 yards in the rear of his senior, when the former gave up the ghost, being dead beat, and the veteran, all alone in his glory, finished the four mile in twenty-one minutes and twenty-seven seconds.

POSTSCRIPT.

STILL LATER FOREIGN SPORTING NEWS.

By the Persia, which arrived on Tuesday last, we received our files of foreign journals, from which we make the following extracts:—

CAUNT AND NAT LANGHAM.—The fifth deposit of £10 a side, for this match, was duly posted at the Brown Bear, on Wednesday evening. We have this week received a letter from Nat Langham, who fancies that Caunt's letter in our last was an attack upon him, and that Caunt intended to cast a doubt upon his courage and integrity. We are satisfied that Ben never intended anything of the kind, but as Nat seems anxious on the subject, we lay his communication before our readers.—Mr. Editor: I should not have thought of requesting the favor of inserting any remarks with respect to my match with Caunt, had not an intimation been made to me that a total silence on my part, after the communication from Caunt inserted in your last, might possibly be misconstrued by the public. The kindness I ever received when an active member of the Ring, and the generous support I have met with since, emboldens me to hope that any assurance of honorable intentions are unnecessary on my part, or that any solemn assertions are required to induce my friends to believe that when I throw my cap into the ring on the 22d of September, I shall do so with the same feelings I have ever entertained on former similar occasions, and with the same determination to win, if possible. I am as anxious as Caunt can be for a meeting in the ring; when there I shall be prepared to abide by the articles, and until then I will avail myself of no loophole which accident may afford, of creeping out and avoiding the issue which can alone decide which is the better man. Let us, Mr. Editor, trouble you no more with our letters. Let us meet like men, fight like men, and let the best man win. I will do my utmost to deserve the kind support which has been promised by my friends, and to sustain the character I shall, I trust, never lose—that of a brave and honorable man. Trusting to your well-known kindness to insert the above, I am, yours, &c., NAT LANGHAM, Cambrian Stores, Castle street, June 4th.—The letter on the subject of deposits we are again compelled to omit by want of space. Ben Caunt wishes us to state that he is already doing gentle work, in order to get himself tolerably fit for the arduous task of training. He plays quoits at the White Bear, Kennington, for several hours every day, and has already made a considerable reduction in his weight.

TWO BATTLES.—A gallant mill took place on Tuesday last between G. Lang (brother-in-law of Job Cobley) and Jack Cain (brother of Bill Cain, for £5 a side, and after a most slaughtering fight of 42 minutes poor Jack Cain was obliged to succumb, being in almost total darkness. Cain was backed from the Bumper Inn, and Lang from Mr. Larke's, Black Swan, Leicester.

A fight took place on Thursday week near Newport, Monmouthshire, between Bob Hurd of Frome and John Gillingham of Bridgewater, for £2 a side. It lasted 45 minutes, during which 17 rounds were fought, and was won by Hurd with comparative ease.

JACK GRANT has been lying idle for the last three years, no one having accepted his challenge to fight at 10st. 4lb. Jack now comes forward for the last time of asking, and hopes some one will come out and make a match with him at 10st. 4lb., for £100 a side. He bars no man breathing.

YOUNG LYNCH (the American) is in want of a job, and will give Jemmy Norton a chance, and will fight him for £10 or £15 a side, at 7st. 12lb.; and if that does not suit him he will fight his own weight, and as soon as he likes. £1 is left in our hand to make a match.—*Bell's Life, June 7.*

ASCOT RACES.

THE first day at Ascot, albeit the Vase sank down to three entries, was full of interest. Old Early Bird gave about five stone, and disposed of a whole host of feathers over the New Mile; and Sydney, also ridden by David Hughes, who is, we believe, to ride for Baron Rothschild in future, (though it is said that he declined to form a regular engagement), pleased his owner in the Ascot Derby at last. The Ascot Stakes brought out a wretched lot, and was won by Claude Lorraine, who was scarcely backed for a shilling by his party; Emigrant, the winner of the Liverpool steeplechase, running in sixth. The Gold Vase was a surprise, as Arsenal, one of the most racing-like horses out, and with quarters and thighs especially adapted for the Ascot hill, made very short work of the favorite, Strathnaver, when he caught him half way up the hill. The former made the running, which was only slow throughout; Mary lying last from start to finish, with not a ghost of a chance. After the race Arsenal was much fancied at 20 to 1 for the St. Leger, which seems likely to be a great betting race, in spite of Blink Bonny. The closest contest of the meeting was that between Aleppo and Pitapat, for the Triennial, which was won by a "short head," and Clydesdale, who from his splendid look seems likely to retrieve "Mr. Howard's" Derby losses. Lord Derby was second with Woodnymph, a grey filley by his Longbow. Wednesday brought about a meeting between Ayacanora and Beechnut, the two high-priced yearlings of the great Burleigh sale, and his Lordship won with the one he retained. Rosa Bonheur—whose form, like Beechnut's, was supposed to be gone—won the Hunt Cup; and Sydney, who seems likely to find friends for the St. Leger, scored another victory in the Windsor Castle Stakes.

THURSDAY.—THE CUP DAY.—The flueness of the weather and the facilities of the railway transit attracted a greater attendance to the Heath than had ever been brought together on any previous year. Her Majesty, according to custom, honored the national sport with her presence. She arrived shortly after half past one o'clock, accompanied by his Royal Highness Prince Albert, his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, Prince Alfred, the Princess Royal, the Princess Alice, the Duke of Cambridge, the Duchess of Cambridge, and the Princess Mary, besides the young Prince of Prussia, the intended husband of the Princess Royal. As the Royal cortege, which consisted of eight carriages, passed up the course, her Majesty and the Royal party received the hearty congratulations of the assembled multitudes; which were again renewed when they appeared in the windows of the Royal stand, after the race for the Cup. The race for the Cup was contested by twelve horses, and was won cleverly by Skirmisher, who retrieved the laurels he had lost at the Derby. After the third race the Royal party left in the same order they had arrived, accompanied by similar loyal demonstrations from the thronged course.

ASCOT RACES—TUESDAY.

Trial Stakes.—Early Bird, 1. York, 2.
Ascot Derby Stakes.—Sydney, 1. Turbit, 2.
Ascot Stakes.—Claude Lorraine, 1. Redemption, 2.
Gold Vase.—Arsenal, 1. Strathnaver, 2.
First Ascot Biennial Stakes.—Clydesdale, 1. Woodnymph, 2.
Seventh Ascot Triennial Stakes.—Aleppo, 1. Pitapat, 2.

WEDNESDAY.

Coronation Stakes.—Beechnut, 1. Ayacanora, 2.
Windsor Castle Stakes.—Sydney, 1. Fright, 2.
Royal Hunt Cup.—Rosa Bonheur, 1. Cotswold, 2.
Handicap Plate.—Amelia, 1. Miss Waters, 2.
Sweepstakes.—Lady Albert, 1. Hardwick, 2.
Fernhill Stakes.—Polly Peachum, 1. Sister to Ellington, 2.

THURSDAY.

Fifty Sovs. Sweepstakes.—Blink Bonny walked over.
Handicap Sweepstakes.—Maggie Lauder, 1. Polly Johnson, 2.
Ascot Gold Cup.—Skirmisher, 1. Gemma di Vergy, 2.
New Stakes.—Ledbury, 1. Venitia, 2.

[*London News, June* 13.

CRICKET IN ENGLAND.

THE TWO GREAT ELEVENS OF ENGLAND.

ALL ENGLAND ELEVEN VICTORIOUS.

JUST before going to press we received the following account of this great match, per steamer Persia, and which we extract from the *Era* of the 7th inst.:

This highly-important match was commenced at Lord's Ground on Monday, and was not brought to a conclusion until Wednesday afternoon. The fixture had been most appropriately chosen, for the general public marked their appreciation of this national recreation by an immense attendance on each day. The game, altogether, could not have been witnessed by less than five-and-twenty thousand spectators. The outer ring, surrounding the pavilion, was crowded with carriages and ladies on horseback, whilst the building of the M. C. Club was closely packed by members and friends. There was a continuance of fine and favorable weather, and the fund will largely benefit by the receipts.

After Barber and Sewell had been appointed umpires on Monday, the game was proceeded with by the United Eleven taking the bat. It would take a far larger space than we can afford to particularize the play in each individual instance, and we shall, therefore, confine our attention to the more prominent features of the same which came under our notice. The sum of 143 was scored in the first innings. Out of this number J. Dean furnished 36, Caffyn 38, John Lillywhite 11, and F. Bell carried out his bat, as the last man, for 10. All these parties exhibited some really good specimens of cricketing skill, while the others played well in support of their compatriots, even if they were not so fortunate in creating scores. Both Dean and Caffyn were disposed of by the swift, round-armed bowling of Jackson, a Nottinghamshire man. The All England Eleven next went to the wickets—the two leaders being Diver and Crossland. They were opposed by the bowling of Martingell and Wisden. As the case of the United, the first wicket fell for nothing, Diver giving away a chance, which Dean, as "point," took immediate advantage of. H. Stephenson then took his place, and some rattling hits were successively made, despite the antagonistic bowling. When these three stumps had given way for eighty-five runs, speculation was exceedingly brisk at 6 to 4 on All England. Stephenson, it should be mentioned, obtained 51 from his own bat, Crossland secured 24, and George Parr gave in a compliment of a score up to night time, but increased it to 56 on the resumption of play the following morning. Willsher's figure was 20, and Jackson's 12. The All Englanders closed their first innings with the magnificent sum of 206—65 notches better than the oppositionists. The latter were by no means dispirited, however, and began their final innings in good style. Dean's career was a short one, as Willsher cut him down before he had even a chance of scoring. Thus one of the best of the United Eleven was summarily disposed of; and Caffyn also was prevented from making his score more than four solitary runs. The odds now increased on the All England men, who had Tinley, Bickley and Jackson in reserve to help Willsher, in the bowling department. Grundy scored 27, H. Wright was telegraphed for 21, and F. Bell succeeded in running on till 33 were attached to his name. The innings closed for 140—the joint numbers obtained being 283 by the United players. On Wednesday, the All England members were still the favorites, and by 2 o'clock, they fully proved the right to their position. They had only 78 to get to win, and it was any odds upon them, as their play was efficient and strong. When they had obtained this number the victory was declared in their favor, and thus terminated a most interesting game. Wisden had previously lamed himself, and this proved somewhat detrimental to the chances of the United Eleven. Mr. J. H. Dark regaled the cricketers each day to dinner. We append the full score:

UNITED.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. Hunt b Willsher	0	b Jackson	6
2. Dean b Jackson	36	b Willsher	0
3. Grundy b Bickley	9	c Jackson b Tinley	27
4. Caffyn b Jackson	38	c Jackson b Willsher	4
5. Wisden b Jackson	7	b Jackson	7
6. Wright c Crossland b Jackson	4	b Tinley	21
7. Lillywhite run out	11	c Stephenson b Bickley	11
8. Bell not out	10	b Willsher	33
9. Lockyer b Willsher	5	b Willsher	4
10. Mortlock l b w b Jackson	2	b Willsher	7
11. Martingell c Diver b Jackson	4	not out	7
Byes 11, leg byes 5, wide 1	17	Byes 10, leg bye 1, no ball 2	13
Total	143	Total	140

ALL ENGLAND.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
1. Diver c Dean b Wisden	0		
2. Crossland b Caffyn	24	c Wisden b Lillywhite	5
3. Stephenson c and b Caffyn	51	b Lillywhite	5
4. Parr not out	56	not out	19
5. Cæsar b Caffyn	9	not out	0
6. Tinley b Martingell	9	b Caffyn	23
7. Anderson b Caffyn	0	run out	10
8. Clarke run out	0	c Bell b Caffyn	9
9. Willsher b Caffyn	20		
10. Bickley b Caffyn	8		
11. Jackson b Caffyn	12		
Byes 6, leg byes 8	14	Byes 4, leg byes 2	6
Wide 1, no balls 2	3	Wide	1
Total	206	Total	78

ANALYSIS OF THE BOWLING.

UNITED—First innings: Willsher, bowled 108 balls, 65 runs, 18 maidens, 2 wickets; Bickley, 64 balls, 30 runs, 7 maidens, 1 wicket, 1 wide ball; Jackson 103 balls, 31 runs, 11 maidens, 6 wickets. Second Innings: Willsher, bowled 140 balls, 45 runs, 15 maidens, 5 wickets, 1 no ball; Bickley, 36 balls, 11 runs, 4 maidens, 1 wicket; Jackson, 140 balls, 54 runs, 14 maidens, 2 wickets; R. C. Tinley, 40 balls, 17 runs, 4 maidens, 2 wickets, 1 no ball.

ALL ENGLAND—First Innings: Wisden, (broke down) bowled 36 balls, 22 runs, 3 maidens, 1 wicket; Martingell, 80 balls, 28 runs, 9 maidens, 1 wicket, 2 no balls; Grundy, 16 balls, 17 runs; Caffyn, 118 balls, 69 runs, 7 maidens, 7 wickets; Dean, 48 balls, 33 runs, 4 maidens; Bell, 32 balls, 20 runs, 3 maidens. Second Innings: Martingell, bowled 16 balls, 1 run, 3 maidens; Caffyn, 80 balls, 29 runs, 8 maidens, 2 wickets, 1 wide ball; John Lillywhite, 68 balls, 37 runs, 4 maidens, 2 wickets; Lockyer, 6 balls, 4 runs.

THE FUND.

The receipts on the first day were £153 14s 6d; the second, £124 16s; the third, £12 12s 6d; total, £291 3s. The expenses for the players and others engaged to assist, as well as the printing, amounted to £130 14s, leaving a balance of £160 9s to the credit of the fund, and which sum is now in the Treasurer's hands.

ADDENDUM.—It will be interesting no doubt to many of our readers to know the positions taken in the field by each side, which were as follows: ALL ENGLAND, Willsher and Bickley, bowlers; Diver, long stop; Finley, point; Stephenson, wicket keeper; Parr, mid-on and cover-point; Cæsar, long slip; Clarke and Anderson, long leg and mid wicket; Crossland, short leg. UNITED.—Wisden and Martingell, bowlers; Dean, point; Bell, mid-on and cover point; Lockyer, wicket keeper. From the continual change in the bowling, the rest of the positions of the United, we regret to state, were not filled for any length of time; hence their non insertion. A vast amount of money changed hands, and already a great deal has been laid upon the result of the return match for Dean's benefit on the 27th of July. The umpires for the occasion were Messrs. Barker and Sewell, who acquitted themselves to the satisfaction of everyone. This is something almost unprecedented, and tends to show the benefits to be derived from the engagement of well qualified and impartial men for that position, without whom, it is seldom, if ever that a match can be got through, without some misunderstanding.

THE GAME OF CHESS.

ZATRIKIOLOGICAL MISCELLANY.

OUR NATIONAL TOURNAMENT.—It is now as probable as desirable that this great gathering will be held in New York. The subscription lists are now opened; the proposition from our Metropolitan committee being that, a subscription of $5, or over, entitles the subscriber to a copy of the work containing a full account of the gathering, with the games contested and problems competing for prizes. Several of our leading players have headed the list with $25, each.

MATCHES AT HOME.—The remains of a last year's match between Messrs. Perrin and Montgomery have been cleared off and won by Mr. M. A return match between the same players now stands, drawn, 1; Mr. P., 3; Mr. M., 4: 5 games to win. This is an interesting match.

ADJOURNED.—On Friday eve, 12th inst., the N. Y. Club adjourned for its annual vacation, to re-open on the first club-night in Oct. next.

CHESS DURING THE VACATION.—With the same generous attachment to the Club, and solicitude for its interests, and with the same enthusiastic ardor for the cause of chess at large, as has heretofore been always exhibited by him, M. Julien, proprietor of the St. Denis Hotel, corner 11th street and Broadway, has put a large and convenient room, with ample accommodations, at the service of the Club on their habitual nights of meeting; and that without money or price. And not merely to the Club, but all amateurs of our noble game will meet with the most cordial welcome; as the warm-hearted urbanity of our chess-loving host will immediately make them all feel—particularly if they are fortunate enough to get a chance to meet him personally over the board. As we once said in another paper; we know that nothing would delight him so much as to be obliged to go to still greater expense to accommodate the numbers that may avail themselves of this invitation.

ALSO:—Our friend Miron J. Hazeltine, with whose chess propensities we have good reason to be acquainted, invites all lovers of the game to whom the locality may be convenient to attend his private chess soirees on Wed. eve's, at his residence, 172 W. 23d st. Hours, from 7½ to 11½. The attention of lady players is particularly called to this invitation.

MATCHES ABROAD.—The consultation games at the St. George's Club, London, are regularly carried on and excite great interest. When will our own club learn the lesson? A match has been commenced between Messrs. Cattley and Cunningham, who have appeared largely as allies in the above contests, and the first three games in five are scored by Mr. C. Herr Falkbeer, and Mr. Campbell, the distinguished problem composer, have commenced a match of seven games to win, Mr. C. winning the first. American matches, tournaments, and chess doings generally are beginning to attract much attention abroad, as notices from almost every chess journal, some of them very full, clearly demonstrate. To the courtesies of Mr. Staunton and Herr Lowenthal we are indebted for this better and more promising state of chess intercourse.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

BOSTON CHESS CLUB.—The Philadelphia Club thank for acceding so readily to their proposition for adjournment, and as the present are their last moves for June, they will consider the match adjourned to the first week in Aug. You can reply in which game you please, or both, if it is indifferent.

DE PREFONTAINE, Philad'a.—We shall look forward to your visit with anticipations of much pleasure. M. Julien will welcome you no less cordially at the club.

UN PION, Philad'a.—Thank you for the correction; we will make it when we print up the whole game for adjournment.

CUSHNOC, Augusta, Me.—Sound this time, we believe. It shall appear as No. 70 or 71.

T. M. B., Penn Yan, N. Y.—Your last came all right, and were most happy to receive it: the matters shall all be attended to in due time and proper order. Your views on *that subject* are, we believe, decidedly correct.

EN PRISE, Newark, N. J.—Your return challenge to "Midnight" is set down for No. 69.

☞ We have several communications too late for reply this week; but H. M., of Philadelphia, shall be answered privately.

SOLUTION OF PROBLEM NO. 66.

This we will defer for two weeks.

SOLUTION OF ENIGMA NO. 64.

White.	Black.
1. Kt to K 7 +	Q takes Kt *forced*
2. Kt-K R 6 +	K takes B "
3. Kt-B 7 +	Q takes Kt "

giving stalemate.

PROBLEM NO. 67—BY WANKINCO.

BLACK.

WHITE.

White to play and mate in five moves.

GAME NO. 67.

A spirited and determined little battle between two strong players at the "Union Chess Club," N. Y.

K. R. P.'S GAMBIT.

Attack.	Defence.	Attack.	Defence.
1. P to K 4	P to K 4	15. Q to K 3	P to K R 3
2. P-K B 4	K P × P	16. Kt K B 3	P-Q Kt 4
3. P-K R 4 *a*	P-Q 3 *b*	17. B-Q Kt 3	Q Kt-R 4
4. P-Q 4	K Kt-B 3	18. K R-Kt sq	Q-her B 3
5. Q Kt B 3	Q B-K Kt 5	19. P-K Kt 4	B-K R 2
6. K Kt B 3	Q Kt-B 3	20. P-Kt 5	Q Kt × K B
7. Q B × B 2d P	Q her 2	21. P × P oversight	Kt × Q R
8. K B Q Kt 5	P Q R 3	22. R × Kt P +	K-R sq
9. B Q R 4	P Q 4	23. Kt his 5	Kt × Kt
10. P-K 5	K Kt-K 5	24. R × Q B +	Kt × R
11. Q her 3	K B-Q Kt 5 *c*	25. Q-K Kt 3	Kt × Q B P +
12. P Q R 3	B × Q Kt	26. K Q 2	Q K Kt 3
13. Kt P × K B	Castles K R	27. Q × Q	B P × Q, and
14. Kt-his 5 *last*	B-K B 4	wins overwhelmingly.	

NOTES.

a This gambit is but little practiced, and less known. It yields a dangerous attack if hardly met; but if properly answered, forms the least basis for combination, and yields the least satisfactory secondary stages, of any of the recognized offshoots of the King's Gambit.

b By no means the best move. P to Q 4th had been better, but K B to K 2d, best of all.

c The student will be at once delighted and instructed by the terse vigor with which both sides deploy their forces. The Defence looks little enough like being under the pressure expected from the first dozen moves of a gambit.

ANOTHER

Dashing Skirmish between the same Amateurs.

K. R. P.'S GAMBIT.

Attack.	Defence.	Attack.	Defence.
1. P to K 4	P to K 4	10. P to Q 5	Q Kt to K 4
2. P-K B 4	K P × P	11. K Kt × Kt	Q P × Kt *e*
3. P-K R 4	K B-K 2	12. Q her Kt 5 +	Q her 2
4. K Kt-B 3	K Kt-B 3 *d*	13. Q × Q Kt P	Castles K R
5. K B-Q B 4	P-Q 3	14. Kt-his 5	Q R-Kt sq
6. Q Kt-B 3	Q B-K 3	15. Q × Q B P *f*	B-Q Kt 5 +
7. Q-K 2	Q Kt-B 3	16. P-Q B 3	Q × Q Kt *g*
8. P-Q 4	Q B × B	17. Q × K P	Kt-his 6, and
9. Q × Q B	Kt K R 4	mates, or wins Q. *h*	

NOTES.

d This is Staunton's move, who analyzes this opening at great length. Staunton says the usual move is P to Q 3d, but Stamma's editor (Lewis) says of it, "P to K 5th would be better; as playing P to Q 3d, before the K B has been brought out, is seldom good play." Stamma continues:

5. Q Kt to B 3	P to Q 4	9. Q B to Q 2	P to Q B 3
6. P-K 5	K Kt-R 4	10. Castles	K Kt his 5
7. P Q 4	Q B-K Kt 5	11. K R-his 2 (1)	Q B-K B 4
8. Q her 3	Castles	12. Q Kt-K 4	P × Kt, &c.

The last moves of the Defence are skilfully played. (1) Lewis remarks that he ought to sacrifice the R, and play 11. Q Kt-K 2d.

Staunton, after Stamma, analyzes for the Attack, 4. Q to K Kt 4th, answered, P to Q 4th (best;) but the result of it all is legitimately a better game for the Defence.

e And, after another display of vigor on both sides, has the best of it.

f This certainly looks like having his opponent on the hip—but.

g The real upshot of this pretty combination astonished its perpetrator not a little.

h These Defences were conducted by D. S. Roberts, Esq., of Brooklyn, against a player at once the most brilliant and most unsound of any in the circle of our acquaintance.

ENIGMA NO. 67.—BY E. C.,

PRESIDENT OF THE BLOOMFIELD CHESS CLUB.

WHITE.—K at his Kt sq; Q at K 5; R at K B sq; B at Q Kt 2; Kt at K Kt 4; P's at K R 3, K Kt 5, Q B 4, and Q Kt 5th.

BLACK.—K at his R 2; Q at K R 6; R's at K B sq, and Q 2; B at Q Kt 2; P's at K R 5, K Kt 3, Q Kt 3, and Q R 2d.

White to play and mate in five moves.

MATCH GAMES.

BETWEEN BOSTON AND PHILADELPHIA

NUMBER ONE.—SCOTCH GAMBIT.

White—Boston.	Black—Philad'a.
12. Q to her R 4	Q B to Kt 2
13. Castles	P to Q B 4
14. K R to Q sq	P takes P

NUMBER TWO.—EVANS GAMBIT.

White—Philad'a.	Black—Boston.
11. K Kt to Q 4	P to Q B 4
12. K Kt to K 6	B P takes Kt
13. Q P takes P	

BETWEEN DE PREFONTAINE AND LOPEZ.

White—De Prefontaine.	Black—Lopez.
19. Q to K Kt 4	K to R sq
20. Kt takes B	Q takes Kt
21. Q takes Q	K takes Q

BETWEEN X. Y. Z., SENIOR, AND METELLUS.

White—X. Y. Z.	Black—Metellus.
8. Castles	K B takes Kt
9. Kt P takes B	P to Q 4
10. K B to Q Kt 5	

CHEQUERS OR DRAUGHTS.

NOTICE.—Correspondents will please have patience—our draught editor is rusticating, and drinking in exhilirating draughts of pure air in the vicinity of Lake George. Let him enjoy himself while he has the opportunity. All will be attended to in due time.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

SOLUTION OF POSITION NO. 121.

NEW SERIES.

White.		Black.		White.		Black.	
1.	27 to 23	18 to 27		4.	19 to 16	20 to 11	
2.	8 3	11	18	5.	3 7	11	9
3.	28 24	27	20	6.	5 7 and wins.		

SOLUTION OF POSITION NO. 122.

NEW SERIES.

White.		Black.	
1.	18 to 14	9 to 18	
2.	17 14	10	17

And Black is "played out."

GAME NO. 64.

NEW SERIES.

SINGLE CORNER.

Lately played between Messrs. Drysdale and Mercer.

Black, Drysdale.		White, Mercer.		Black, Drysdale.		White, Mercer.	
1.	11 to 15	22 to 18		12.	13 to 17	18 to 9	
2.	15 22	25	18	13.	6 13	21	14
3.	8 11	29	25	14.	10 17	26	23
4.	4 8	25	22	15.	17 26	31	22
5.	11 16	24	20	16.	7 10	25	31 *a*
6.	8 11	27	24	17.	2 6 *b*	32	27 *c*
7.	10 14	24	19	18.	6 9	22	18
8.	7 10	28	24	19.	1 5	18	15
9.	3 7	30	25	20.	11 18	20	11
10.	9 13	18	9	21.	18 22 *		
11.	5 14	22	18	White to move and draw.			

NOTES BY A. H. M.

a White might have moved 18 to 15, and drawn easily; M. preferred a "harder road to travel."

b Here Mr. D. followed Drummond, while "Harry" moved 10 to 14. Result of H.'s move: a beautiful draw.

c White has nothing else left; it is his only hope; and that rather a forlorn looking one. 32 to 28 would lose without an "if."

* See diagram published a few weeks since which takes up the game at this stage.

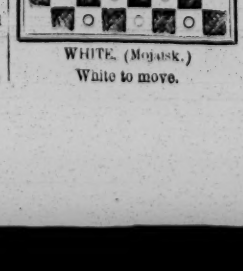
The remainder will be published as soon as we receive a correct solution. Should any of the contributors differ with Mr. Mercer about the game being "drawable," a notice through the CLIPPER will meet with prompt attention. A. H. M.

POSITION NO. 123.

NEW SERIES.

By Alonzo.

BLACK.



WHITE.

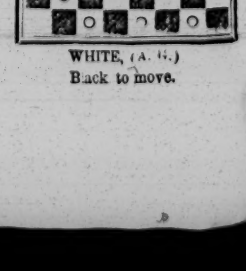
White to play and win.

POSITION NO. 124.

NEW SERIES.

By Nemo.

BLACK.



WHITE.

Black to move and draw, (if he can.) Will Clutterbuck (or somebody else) win with White.

MATCH GAMES

BETWEEN UNCLE SAM AND J. S., OF WINCHESTER.

NUMBER ONE.

White—J. S.		Black—Uncle Sam	
9.	32 27	9	13
10.	25 22	5	9

NUMBER TWO.

White—Uncle Sam.		Black—J. S.	
8.	28 24	6	10
9.	30 25	—	—

BETWEEN B. OF BOSTON, AND THE UNKNOWN.

White—B of Boston.		Black—Unknown.	
5.	22 15	16	20
6.	24 19		

BETWEEN METELLUS AND A. F.

Black—Metellus.		White—A. F.	
3.	8 11	29	25
4.	12 16		

BETWEEN A. G. AND H. D

Black—H. D.		White—A. G.	
1.	11 15	22	18
2.	15 22		

MATCH GAME,

Between Mojaisk and Express.

BLACK, (Express.)

WHITE. (Mojaisk.)

White to move.

MATCH GAME,

Between Truxton and A. G.

BLACK, (Truxton.)

WHITE, (A. G.)

Black to move.

AMUSEMENTS.

CITY SUMMARY.

The extraordinary attractions put forth by Mayor Wood, in the Park, during the past week, had the effect to materially lessen the attendance at other places of amusement, and the week may be said to have ended with a slight decline on previous quotations. General Walker is the main dependence of managers just now. He first appeared at the Bowery theatre, and his engagement of "one night only" filled the theatre to overflowing, and took the starch out of Chanfrau. Walker was next secured by Stuart, of Wallack's, where he appeared in conjunction with Miss Eliza Logan, one evening during the past week, and was received favorably by a large audience. The hero of Nicaragua was next secured for Miss Laura Keene's establishment, where he was welcomed on Monday evening last by a highly appreciative audience. The General is compelled to adopt the system of dividing his time and talents among our different managers, in consequence of the numerous engagements he has on hand, and the short time he has to fulfil them. The General is somewhat suspicious that he may play himself out before the season is over if he stops long in one place.

Miss Eliza Logan, a young lady who has devoted herself to the meritorious and self sacrificing duty of redeeming the stage from that immorality which certain other young ladies have thrown around it, entered upon her laborious task on the 18th, but thus far has failed to convince us that she possesses sufficient genius to enable her to achieve the end she has in view. The fawning and cringing letter to the Herald, (in which she stated that without the aid of that journal she could not hope for success in her holy crusade, coupled with an uncalled for allusion to Miss Heron and her style of acting,) has placed her below par in the estimation of all independent journals, and theatre goers. As an actress, she may be quoted about "middling, with a downward tendency." In justice, however, it should be stated that she is miserably supported at Wallack's, the regular company of that establishment having been dismissed for the time being. Mr. Geo. Jordan has since been engaged to give some show of strength to the cast.

That "amateur performance" took place, according to announcement, with Mr. Ware as the leading spirit. It was a glorious treat to the lovers of the burlesque, and the whole troupe should be at once secured by the manager of the new Olympic soon to be started in this city.

The Florences have been re-engaged at Burton's. The business continues as at previous advices, "fair to good fair," with an upward tendency.

Chanfrau, whose successful engagement terminated at the Bowery on the 20th, has been succeeded by Mrs. T. S. Hamblin. The houses thus far have been good, and the performances of a fair order.

In our last we stated that the "Bryants" had somewhat effected the business at the other houses of "colored minstrelsy" on Broadway, and we expressed our opinion that some of them would soon have to "cave in." Buckley's has been the first to give up the ghost, the season having been brought to a close on Monday evening last, with the benefit of the treasurer, Mr. Short. It is rumored that the hall of the Buckley's is to be fitted up for the production of such pieces as Mr. Mitchell performed at the Olympic some years since. If properly managed, the new Olympic may provo "a go."

C. W. Clarke had another benefit at Barnum's Museum on Monday evening last. Of his next, due notice will be given.

Madame Anna La Grange made her "positively last appearance" in America, on the 22d, in a concert at Niblo's.

Pete Morris has gone into the lager beer business in William street. Pete's comicalities, and his "pure Philadelphia lager," with pretty waiting maids, will fetch the dimes, sure.

Bryant's Minstrels leave nothing undone to please their numerous patrons—new features are constantly being added to their already large repertoire of comicalities and whimsicalities, and in consequence thereof, the wish to see them is as great as ever. One establishment has already succumbed to their superior tact, and the other is progressing "after a fashion."

Chanfrau, Miss Maggie Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. John Drew, are mentioned as being already engaged for the new Olympic.

Lola Montes threatens to give a series of lectures in this city shortly on matters and things in general.

It is said that Lumley's great opera company have been engaged to perform in this city next fall.

NATIONAL SUMMARY.

John Brougham and Pocahontas please the Philadelphians so well that they will continue a little while longer at the Arch Street Theatre.

Susan Denin, at the Chicago, and Collins, at North's, Chicago, have been doing well the past week.

Ned Kendall, the famous bugle player, performed with Bond's Cornet Band, in Boston, during the recent Bunker Hill Celebration there. Ned makes his bugle speak as intelligibly as ever.

The Walnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, closed on Monday evening last, after a season of doubtful success. Manager Marshall has had too many irons in the fire of late.

Burton commences an engagement at North's theatre, Chicago, on the 6th of July, and the Ravels have been secured for the Chicago theatre, as an off-set.

Christy's Minstrels seem to have made up their minds to tarry in Boston yet awhile longer, they have been so favorably received.

Mr. Davidge was last in Hamilton, Canada West, shining out as a star.

Dutch opera grows in favor at the Philadelphia Academy of Music; but it is still hard to swallow.

Miss Maggie Mitchell was recently injured in Lexington, Ky., by the accidental discharge of a pistol in the hands of one of the attaches of the theatre. She is pretty well over it, by this time.

Somebody has been favored with the perusal of a copy of a new five-act tragedy entitled the "Gladiator of Ravenna." It is said to possess much merit.

Mrs. Alexina Fisher Baker took leave of the Philadelphia theatre-going public on Monday evening last. She is about to remove to Cincinnati, her husband having leased the theatre there, and another at Louisville, for a period of ten years.

Strakosch, wishing to give a musical entertainment in Detroit recently, found it necessary to procure a license, of which the following is a literal copy:—"I do here Grant M Strecosh a License and as all things is satisfactory. P. GALLAGHER, Cha'n. Com. Lice." Mr. Gallagher's license to outrage the English language in such a manner should be taken away from him.

Mr. Frazer's ballad entertainments in Philadelphia are well spoken of. The entertainment comprises ballads, interspersed with historical, biographical, and humorous anecdotes.

Mr. Thomas A. Parsons, well-known to the Boston public, died in that city on the 19th, aged 35. He was a native of Portland.

The Davenports, Gilberts, and Barrows, have met with unlooked-for success at the Howard Athenæum, Boston. They continue their performances during the present week.

Mr. Edwin Booth has dropped the sock and buskin for the present, and taken up the shovel and the hoe. He intends to till the ground till the fall season sets in, when he may once more do "deeds of dreadful note," on the mimic stage.

The Boone Family have been performing in Charlestown, S. C.

Messrs. A'Beckett & Shewell open the theatre at Trenton, N. J., next week, with an attractive series of dramatic performances.

Max Maretzek's opera company at the Boston Theatre have not met with success.

FOREIGN.

Madame Celeste had appeared at the Adelphi, London, in a new drama, entitled George Darville. It is well spoken of.

Ira Aldridge, the "African Roscius," was performing in Stockholm, where he received many marks of favor at the hands of the nobility.

Mons. Roger, a celebrated French tenor, is now in London.

Wallet, the clown, is with Hengler's circus, in Liverpool.

Professor Anderson was unsuccessful in Manchester.

The American Circus drew immensely in Manchester, where they were at last accounts.

A crowded house greeted Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams, on their first appearance at the Theatre Royal, Birmingham.

Gen. Tom Thumb was well received in Brighton. While out fishing one day the General caught a large conger eel, weighing 15 lbs., and nearly as big as himself. He bagged it, however.

Mr. Howard Paul, while performing in the Potteries, ordered from a manufacturer 5,000 cream jugs, with a picture of one of the characters from his entertainment "Patchwork," to be engraved thereon, and a similar number of dinner plates, on which is to appear a likeness of Mrs. Howard Paul singing "Bonnie Dundee." This is bringing an announcement "under one's notice" with a vengeance.

SALE OF THE GARRICK THEATRE.—On the 4th inst., Mr. Robins offered to public auction the leasehold property known as the Garrick Theatre, situated in Leman street, Goodman's Fields, with the scenery, properties, and wardrobe. The property was built about two years ago, and affords accommodation for about 1,620 persons; held for an unexpired term of 59 years, at a ground-rent of £250 per annum. Knocked down at £2,950. The total cost of the property was stated to have been £6,000.

CANINE.

A GRAND SPORTING EXHIBITION will take place at Harry Jennings's, Sportsman's Hall, 49 Madison-street, on Wednesday evening, July 1st, at 7 o'clock, for the benefit of Jack Jennings, who met with an accident on the 19th of May last, the nature of which most sportsmen are well acquainted with; on this occasion the following sportsmen have promised to lend a helping hand, viz: Jacob Roome, with his two dogs, Billy and Spring; Jim McLaughlin, with his 75 pounder, who will have a friendly shake with Harry Jennings's 75 pound dwarf, Rover; and several turns up with Harry Jennings's and Jim Giddings' stock. Harry will show his handsome black and tan, and his little extraordinary rat killer, under two months old, and only two pounds weight, who will kill six rats on this occasion. J. J. intends giving a handsome collar to the dog showing the gamest at the bear; the second collar to be given to the dog that draws the Mexican fighting pig in the shortest time; and the third and last collar to be given to the quickest dog on the coon. The wind-up will be between the two big ones Lion and Rover. Entrance for the collars free. Admission 25 cents.

NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA.—A match has been made between Wm. Dunning's Philadelphia dog Bullet, 28 lbs., and Mr. Jas. McLaughlin's 28 lbs. dog, for $100 a side. In answer to Mr. McL's acceptance of the challenge, in our last, Mr. Dunning offered to give $20 to fight in Philadelphia, or take $15, and fight in McLaughlin's own pit; or, he would fight in Mr. Roome's pit, or at 49 Madison-street, and each party bear his own expenses. Mr. McLaughlin replied, and stated that he would accept of the proposition to fight at Mr. Roome's, No. 140 Church-street; the contest to take place on the 20th of July—to weigh at 1 o'clock P. M., and fight at 2 P. M.

SPORTING.—James McLaughlin will give a grand treat to the fancy on the 4th of July, at Sportsman's Hall, 155 First Avenue, when three handsome silver mounted collars will be awarded to the best dogs, viz.: the dog making the best run shall receive a collar for his prize—there will be six rats given to each dog, and the dog making the best time shall receive a collar. The bear, badger and coon will be on hand, and some of the best dogs in the city, both native and foreign, will also be present. Collars and rats free of charge on that day. The sport will commence at 2 o'clock, P. M. Tickets, 25 cents each.

WALLACE AND BUG.—Philadelphia, June 21, 1857.—DEAR FRANK: In looking over your interesting little sheet, of last week, I noticed a challenge for the dog Bug to fight my dog Wallace for three hundred dollars a side, 29 or 30 pounds. Now I wish to inform you and my friends that my dog Wallace will fight the dog Bug for three hundred dollars a side, catch weight; or, if he will allow me one pound for the bind leg which is dislocated, and well he knows of it himself, the dog Wallace shall fight the celebrated dog Bug for three or five hundred dollars a side, and if that does not suit his views, I have a dog that will fight Bug, 30 pounds, check, for $500 a side. Mr. William Quandrille, of Philadelphia, knows where I can be found, and if he wishes a match, please bring along $100 as a forfeit at Mr. Thomas Elliot's, Front and Dock-streets.

WILLIAM DUNNING, Philadelphia.

MATCH BETWEEN TWO LITTLE 'UNS.—The match between Daniel Jenkinson's bitch Fanny, and Wm. Clacker's bitch Fairy, at 13 lbs. each, is still progressing, and promises to be an uncommonly interesting event in canine sports. The fight is to come off in Mr. Jacob Roome's new pit, No. 140 Church-street, on Tuesday, the 7th day of July, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon; this being the opening match at Mr. Roome's establishment. The stakes in this match are $175 against $100. Doubtless there will be a large gathering on the occasion of this match between two 13-pounders.

BUG AND BILLY.—In our last appeared a challenge for the Philadelphia dog Bug to fight Astoria Billy, at 30 lbs., for any sum from $300 to $1,000. Judging that no match could be made for Billy, Mr. Jenkinson addressed a letter to Mr. Ellis, stating that he would accept the challenge on behalf of the dog Crib, 30 lbs., and fight for $300, $500, or $1,000, in four or five weeks from the making of the match—to fight in New York. He also left with us $100 as forfeit; but up to the time of going to press, no answer had been received from Philadelphia. Mr. Ellis can still be accommodated by leaving a like deposit of $100.

MACK AND PILOT.—John Marriott has matched the Philadelphia dog Mack to fight the Williamsburgh dog Pilot, at 27 lbs. each, for $100. Pilot is under the care of Mr. Jas. McLaughlin, and the fight is appointed to take place at his pit, 155 First Avenue, on the 8th day of July—to weigh at 7 P. M., and fight between 8 and 9 P.M.; $20 a side has been received for this match.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.—I will fight my dog Billy against Mr. Richard Ellis's dog Bug, at 30 lbs. weight, for $300 a side; to fight in five weeks after the first deposit; to take place at No. 34 Madison street, or at Mr. Roome's new pit, 140 Church street. By sending $50 as a deposit to the CLIPPER, a match can be made and articles drawn up.

WILLIAM GARRETT.

WOODCOCK SHOOTING.

BY MEERSCHAUM.

As the season for this glorious sport approaches, it may be both appropriate and useful to offer a few hints, that the tyro may be initiated into some of its mysteries. There is no shooting more laborious and exposing than this, nor is there any which will more amply repay the sportsman. Of all the game birds we have there is none that will compare with the Woodcock, either for the delicacy of its flesh, the soft dusky beauty of its plumage, or its game, blood-like appearance when flushed. A party for Woodcock shooting should consist of three, one to hunt the cripple, the two others, the bank and drift. You should be particularly careful when you advance, to keep abreast with each other to prevent accidents. Make it an invariable rule whenever you see a bird, to risk a shot whether you think you can kill it or not, for the character of the ground in this country, especially along the Delaware, is such that it precludes all waiting for close shots, and, moreover, he is no sportsman who is not willing to give a bird a chance. Of all the Woodcock killed in cripple shooting, two thirds of them are never seen when shot at. You hear the bird spring, see him for an instant as he pitches through the top of some tall willow, too quickly for the most rapid snap shot, and then he is down. To beat the gentleman at his own game, have a load of shot ready to receive him as he emerges from the tree on the side from you; that is, fire at his wake, under and ahead of him, and ten chances to one, if you shoot with any calculation, you bag your bird. As number 9 shot, Philadelphia size, they are sufficiently heavy for summer Woodcock. You will find it much more convenient and pleasant if you have a shot-belt instead of a pouch. By using the belt you remove the weight from your shoulders to your hips, which is a great advantage. Let your dress be as light as it possibly can, recollecting it will meet with many a tough encounter with the briars. A common canvass coat is the best, and if your pants are of the same, so much the better. Shoot in shoes or light boots with holes in to let the water out as fast as it comes in. On no account wear heavy gunning boots, for with the fatigue produced by dragging them through the mud, together with the hot weather, you stand a fair chance of laying yourself up. Take as many dogs with you as you have; it makes no difference whether they will stand or not. It is preferable, I think, to have the birds flushed, for if you have a staunch dog, and he makes a point out of your sight, which he is very likely to do, you will have a great deal of trouble in hunting him up. The less you drink the better. Have a little good brandy with you, but touch it sparingly. Be on the ground by daybreak and do not be in too much of a rush to begin. You have a whole day before you and you had better husband your strength, for you will need it before you are through.

The above hints are the results of a good deal of experience both on the part of the writer and his friends, and I think will prove useful to the young sportsman, and enable him to have, as I trust he will, a pleasant day's Woodcock shooting.

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CONSIDERING the excitement attendant on the match between the Tipton Slasher and Tom Sayers, and inasmuch as we gave one of Sayers' battles in our issue of the 13th inst., we this week publish a report of a battle in which the Slasher was engaged, and by which Broome was elevated to the Championship. Our readers will thus have an opportunity of forming some correct idea of the relative merits of the present aspirants to the proud title. It will be seen that Broome, like Sayers, was the lesser and younger man of the two.

FIGHT BETWEEN THE TIPTON SLASHER AND HARRY BROOME,
FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP AND £200 A SIDE,
Sept. 29, 1851.

EARLY in the year 1851 Johnny Broome posted a fiver to find a man to meet the redoutable Tipton Slasher for a couple of hundred, and on that occasion, poor Tom Spring, on whom devolved the duty of meeting the Slasher in London, was, on the stipulated evening of meeting, stretched on a bed of sickness, struggling with that grim antagonist who was so soon to give him his final fall. Hence Johnny claimed the letter of his bond, and received forfeit. In the following week a gleam of hoped-for health on the part of Spring, and the arrival of the Tipton in London, led to a demonstration, and it was announced that the Slasher was prepared to meet the Unknown for the sum proposed. That the Great Unknown was a mystery was evident, for the general opinion was that Broome had received a lucky forfeit of the small amount down. No time was lost in dissipating the mystery. At a subsequent meeting, to the astonishment of all, and the mystification of many, Harry Broome declared himself to be the mysterious stranger, and articles were drawn, signed, sealed, and delivered; and from that period the match progressed satisfactorily. In the interim, the Tipton, after a provincial tour, went into training at Hoylake, Cheshire, under the mentorship of Jem Ward, and the superintendence of Jemmy, the Black, Harry was, of course, looked after by his brother.

The stakeholder, upon whom devolved the duty of naming the place of fighting, selected Mildenhall, and by 1 o'clock there was a tolerable muster round the roped arena. At ten minutes after that hour the Tipton hero advanced to the ring-side, and, removing his nob-cover, tossed it gaily within the magic circle. Harry Broome was not long in answering the Tipton's call for him to come forth, and was loudly cheered on presenting himself. After shaking hands, the difficult point of choosing a referee came on the *tapis*. This knotty question seemed likely to occupy the whole day, for to each proposition a negative was offered, chiefly by the Tipton and his friends. One hour and 40 minutes were thus cut to waste, but at 25 minutes past 2, the differences ended by the selection of Peter Crawley, and the men commenced their toilettes. Crawley had been previously rejected by the Tipton, from an apprehension that his predilections were in favor of Broome, and it was not until Harry offered to fight without a referee that he at last consented. The choice made, the Slasher approached Crawley, and said all he desired was a fair fight and no favor. If he did anything foul he must abide by the consequences, and if his antagonist did wrong he hoped an equal measure of justice would be meted out to him. Crawley said he might rely on his performing his duty strictly and impartially. All he desired was to see a fair and manly contest, and see it fairly and manfully fought out.

The attendants on the Slasher were Nobby Clarke and Jem Molyneaux. The bold Harry was esquired by Callaghan, of Derby, and Bob Castles, Johnny, of course, being in the corner. A little interlude, in the shape of a shindy between Molyneaux and Callaghan, enlivened the interval of suspense, but, on everything being ready, they were soon quieted down. The ring was admirably kept throughout, Tom Callas, Jerry Noon, Mallett, and others, lending a helping hand. The betting at the commencement was 2 to 1 on the Slasher, and at 45 minutes past 2 business commenced.

THE FIGHT.

Round 1. And so the men stood up, and all doubts, fears, and suspicions, as to whether there would or would not be a fight, were at an end, and the question was now to be set at rest as to what sort of a fight those present were to witness, and we were to record for the enlightenment of the myriads of the readers of *Bell*. No sooner had the youthful Harry struck his canvass, and exhibited himself in Nature's buff suit, than an almost audible buzz of surprise and admiration broke from the spectators. Never did gladiator of old offer a finer study for the chisel of the sculptor, or the pencil of the painter. 5ft. 10½in. in stature, his height was only fairly proportioned to his weight, 12st. 10lbs. on the morning of the battle, which, by-the-by, was 10lbs. too much. His chest and scapulæ, with their masses of prominent and rigid muscle, were almost preternaturally developed; and as he swung his long round arms, with the motion of one practising with the dumb-bells, closing and unclosing his hands (black with the astringent juices applied to them), to supple his joints for the impending encounter, all seemed to agree that he was up to the standard of weight and measure which the veteran Captain Barclay said "was big enough to fight any two-legged creature that ever walked." There is much, however, in "a name,"—despite Juliet's declaration to the contrary, which, coming from a green young Miss, don't carry much authority—and accordingly, the old ring goers were half inclined to a belief in Slasher's invincibility, and doubted whether the audacious "boy," as the Tipton himself called him, could really make a stand-up battle of it. This was soon apparent. Throwing up his hands with smiling confidence, Harry toed the scratch, saying, as he did so, "Here I am, old boy, and I mean to win to-day." The Tipton grinned, his absent front railings imparting that expression to his laugh. His appearance is too familiar with the readers of *Bell* to require more succinct description. On the present occasion, though he looked brown, hardy, and sunburnt, there was somewhat of an antiquated cut about his figure-head which was more observable than on his last public appearance. His frame, however, showed no waste or diminution of its formidable proportions. Poised upon his letter-K-like pedestals, his huge upper-works, broad shoulders, immense blade-bones, wide loins and well-ribbed carcase, showed the ponderous *athlete*, though the bloom and freshness of youth had faded from his skin. It was clear he meant to give no rest, and as little opportunity and room, to his antagonist as he could help. Harry offered with his left high up, in the direction of the Slasher's nob; it was a sort of measuring, and he stepped aside, breaking ground with elegance and agility. Slasher followed him, when he stepped aside laughing, and closed and unclosed his hands, playing about out of reach. More sparring. "Go to him, Tipton," cried Jemmy Wharton, "he's afraid of you." The Tipton did so, and Harry retreated till near the ropes. The Tipton let go his right, and reached Harry's ribs, who rapidly caught him a cross-counter with the left on the face. A couple of rather nasty exchanges brought the men together; they separated, and Broome delivered an upper-cut on the Slasher's face, who retaliated on Harry's body so effectively that he slipped in jumping back, and fell, throwing up his feet as he reached the ground, to prevent the Tipton falling on him; and when he found himself safe landed, bringing his heels over his head with a spring, and turning a complete somersault. A claim for a knock-down, but it was anything but that. Four minutes. 6 to 4 on the Tipton, and no takers.

2. Harry came up laughing, and nodded to the Slasher, who laughed and nodded in return. Nothing was the matter on either side. Slasher followed Broome, who retreated to the ropes. "Get nearer, Harry," cried his brother. "Don't go after him," said Molyneaux; and Tipton, in turn, retired to the scratch, pointing downward with his index finger. Harry stepped right up to his head, and delivered his left flush on the Slasher's mouth. Cheers. Sharp spanks were exchanged, which sounded all around the ring. There was a momentary pause. Slasher pursued Harry to the ropes, where the latter jumped into a close, and caught his opponent round the waist. Harry tried to get the lock, but both were down, Tipton having hold of the upper rope with his right.

3. Broome was all confidence and elasticity. He went up to the Slasher, and reached his head, then retreated from the return. "He'll stand it," cried Callaghan. The Tipton got in his left on Harry's right cheek, who, in return, gave him a sounding smart flush on the olfactory organ. The Slasher let fly right and left, and the men closed near the centre stake. Harry got an unmistakeable outside lock, with his right leg over the crooked knee of the Tipton. There were a few seconds of severe struggling, when Broome, having fixed his hold, brought the Slasher over on his back. Down he came, shaking the earth with the concussion, his shoulders, neck, and part of his *caput* first saluting the earth, while Harry rolled over on him. The effect was electrifying; even "Peter the Great" gave an audible grunt, in unison with the *thud* that accompanied the Slasher's prostration. There lay the crooked colossus, prostrate, till his active seconds, seizing him by the legs and wings, conveyed him to his corner, whither Harry followed him with his eyes.

4. Tipton came up well and boldly, but not till time had been several times vociferously called, the Broomites evidently in most flurry. Harry shifted round and round the corners; the Slashers followed him. Harry reached the Tipton's mouth sharply, who let go both hands: the hit sounded. Broome closed, and tried the lock again. The Tipton avoided his hip, and both were on the sod.

5. The Tipton had shaken off the effects of his fall. He tried to gammon Harry within reach of his formidable right by short feints with his left. As this did not have the desired effect, he went in, hitting out with both hands. Harry nailed him on the frontispiece, and as he came on again administered an upper-cut. It was not quite close enough, or it might have told tales. In the close the Tipton was under at the ropes, but it was no detriment.

6. Broome went to the Slasher's head in the most manly style, and popped in one. "Fortune favors the brave." Tipton retorted, but missed one very mischievous hit. The men closed. Harry hit up, catching the Tipton on the smeller, and both were down in the scramble, the Tipton, if either, first.

7. First blood for Broome, which was unmistakeably distilling from the Slasher's nasal organ, to which he put his hand, as if to feel it. "You can't wipe that off," cried a partisan. The Tipton forced Harry to the ropes, threatening with his right, where they closed, and after some not very effective fibbing, Broome brought the Tipton down on his back, falling on his stomach with his latter end. An offer to back Broome at evens.

8. Smart active sparring, and bustling exchanges. Harry gave the Slasher a most emphatic crack on the jaw, producing a slight cut. The Tipton retorted with a nobber, and also sent home a body hit. We don't know whether his right hand had lost its cunning, but these ribbers did not seem to stagger the young one as they did former adversaries. Still the old one rattled in, and in the scuffle was pinked on the head; and at the end of the round, Broome pushed him from him sideways with both hands, when he got down. Bellows to mend on both sides.

9. The Slasher came up grinning, but his merriment looked rather forced. True, the hits had left but little traces on his hard features. He hit very short with his left, and Broome walked round smiling. "Give the boy a crack, and send him back to school," said the Slasher's second. Wordy war was renewed between Callaghan and Molyneaux. There was a close at the ropes, in Harry's corner, in which the Tipton got Broome awkwardly over them, and hung on him, holding the rope with his right, his left hand being across Harry's face. There was a cry that he was gouging him, which we could not see. Be that as it may, the rope was slacked, it was said by Johnny Broome (not cut,) and Harry let down. Some disapprobation was expressed by the Slasher's friends, and an appeal was made. The referee saw nothing "foul," but desired that the ropes should not be meddled with by the bystanders.

10. Exchanges. Harry gave the Tipton a blow on the left eye that raised a lump, then swung round, and broke away from the return. He propped the Slasher as he advanced, but was driven to the ropes, whence he suddenly sprang forward, took a half-arm hit, and making his favorite grip, brought the Tipton over a heavy fall, tumbling on him with his knee. As Harry lay on the grass, he blew like a grampus.

11. The Slasher came up slow. There was a short pause, when again Broome went up to his head. The Slasher's right reached Harry's body, who put in a sharp left-hander that cut the Tipton's lip. There was some sharp half-arm hitting, in which Broome delivered a clean upper-cut with his right, and both were down, Broome uppermost; the crimson fluid from the Slasher's nose and lip smearing Harry's frontispiece as they embraced.

12. The Tipton bored Harry to the ropes, was on to him before he got his chance for a lunge, and had him down in a scramble.

13. Harry retreated to the ropes. The Tipton followed. Broome stopped his left, and shifted from his right, but got a slight taste as he broke ground, and moved round his man. Harry dashed at the Slasher, and got within his guard. There was a short scrambling rally, when the Tipton got down to avoid the lock. Offers to take evens, and then to bet the short odds on "the young'un." Bob Castles retired from Broome's corner in this round, and his place was supplied by Macdonald. An objection to the change of seconds overruled.

14. Broome milled prettily on the retreat, the Tipton hitting remarkably short with his left. Harry unclosed his hands, and shifting round towards the Slasher's corner, said cheerfully, "I'll take odds the boy licks him without a black eye." The Tipton was evidently more bothered than beaten, and the facility with which he was thrown made him put on his considering cap. Broome went up to his head, as if to attack, but as quickly stepped back. The Slasher followed, and let go both hands, his right alone getting home. Harry turned at the instant, hit up sharply with the left, and weaving away, the Tipton got down. In the in-fighting there were some heavy hits exchanged, and Broome's over-weight told sadly on his bellows, which heaved and jerked like those of a pumped-out steeple-chaser.

15 and last. There was a little squabble about time, the Slasher slowest from his corner. Both sides seemed somewhat inclined to spar for wind. Harry dashed in, evidently with the intention of closing and trying for a heave. He hit the Tipton on the chin, but the ould'un got away, as if to get room for his right. Harry advanced, closed, and a struggle took place, each attempting to hit. The Tipton grasped him tightly with his left, and was trying to hit with his right, when Harry slipped down on both knees. The Tipton let go his right just as he reached the ground, giving him a decided nobber, which certainly did not reach its destination till he was down. It was the work of a moment. The shouts from all sides were tremendous. Broome's seconds ran to the umpires and referee, as did the ever active Molyneaux, on the side of the Tipton. There was a short pause, during which "Peter the Great" declared he had not yet been formally appealed to. This was done, the umpires, of course, disagreeing. "A most deliberate foul," said "Peter the Great," and the ring broke up. Thirty-three minutes had sufficed for the present decision of the question, "Who is the Champion of England."

As the ponderous Peter left the roped enclosure, another instance was added to the many previous, of the suicidal conduct of the present race of Ring men. The referee was surrounded by a vociferous and violent mob, whose language was of the most outrageous description. The Tipton himself, too, so "raised the dander" of the referee by his remarks and conduct, that the veteran Crawley declared he would fight for his credit and integrity, and, to the no small amusement of many, was disencumbering his portly person of his outer coat, to inflict summary punishment on his assailant, when the Tipton was forced away.

REMARKS AND SUBSEQUENT PROCEEDINGS.

Upon this battle, ending in a manner so unsatisfactory, few remarks are necessary. The style of fighting will speak for itself; it was clear that the Tipton was surprised by the vigor and determination of his youthful opponent, and not less so at the manner in which he exhibited his throwing powers, for, in closing, not only was Harry the better wrestler, but apparently the stronger man. How the battle would have terminated, had it proceeded in the ordinary way, it is impossible to decide, and in this respect opinions differ, for, on the one hand, the little punishment that was administered came from the young one, while the old one obviously had lost none of his personal courage or confidence, and no doubt anticipated that Harry would out-fight himself, and, by the rapidity of his movements, increase that exhaustion which had already shown itself at the conclusion of some of the earlier rounds. The sudden termination of the battle came upon all by surprise, and many doubted that there was the slightest intention on the part of the Tipton to administer the blow which was so promptly pronounced "foul." The men were in a scrambling close at the moment, and we doubt that either knew precisely his position. It was obvious that Harry desired to get out of trouble, while it was equally plain that the Slasher was inclined to make the most of his advantage. At the moment he struck, the Slasher, in all probability, did not anticipate that Harry could have reached the ground on his knees, but whether he had time to reflect before he did strike, is a question we will not undertake to decide. That point has been already settled by the referee, who declared emphatically that it was a deliberate foul, and from this there is no appeal. Peter Crawley's experience must have thoroughly enabled him to form a correct opinion, and we have no reason to believe that his judgment was not delivered fairly and impartially; whether hastily and without due allowances for the position in which the men were placed, we will not take upon ourselves to say. That the blow reached Harry when on his knees, all concur in believing, but many are disposed to think that in such a battle, carrying with it consequences so important, some allowance should be made for the casualties of the contest, and an unfair intention be more obviously indicated.

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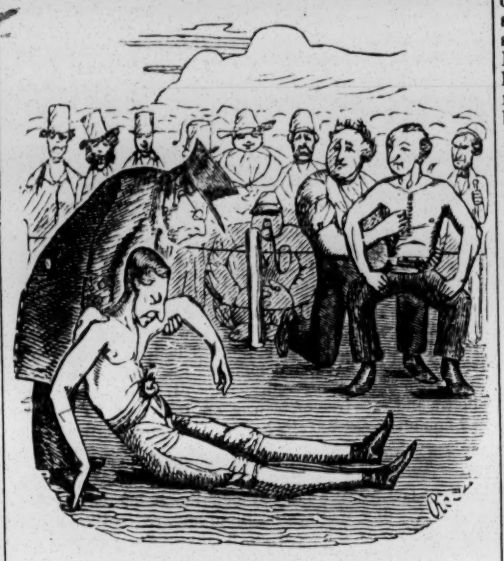
EVERYBODY must sanction the kindness bestowed on the favorite "war horse;" and the more than ordinary honors paid him after death by his brave master and family. Why? Because he was a faithful servant, and an efficient helper "in the day of trouble"—in the hour of danger. The praiseworthy remembrance, of fidelity and merit, cherished by Gen. Jackson towards his famous "Old Duke," the horse he rode during the southern campaigns of the last war, has often been noticed. Though "Duke" grew feeble—was greatly affected, withered, and almost helpless in his latter day, he was not forgotten, nor suffered to be neglected. The writer of this, in a walk with the General, more than once has gone to the lot which contained this living wreck of martial valor; and while the old creature would reel and stagger, looking wishfully at his master, the General would, sighingly, say, "Ah! poor fellow, we have seen hard times together—we must shortly separate—your days of suffering and toil are well nigh ended." On one occasion, to try the General on a tender point, the writer suggested the idea of putting an end to the sufferings of "Duke," by having him shot or knocked on the head. "No," said his generous master, "never—never—let him live; and while there is anything to go upon on this farm, Duke shall have a part." While inditing the above, (says the writer,) my heart was moved; for I held communion, in imagination, with the gallant Jackson, who, with his brave compatriots in arms, rode on the "whirlwind's wing," and poured the storm of death on the invaders of this land of freedom.



PRIZE FIGHT EXTRAORDINARY,

BETWEEN FERD. WOOD AND SIM. DRAPER,
FOR $5000.

Fought in the Park, June 16 and 17, 1857.

The long pending feud between the above well-known novices was brought to a conclusion on the 16th and 17th inst. Wood has had some little experience in the P. R., but not as a principal; his opponent had never before appeared in the roped arena in any capabity, therefore it was hardly to be expected that such a bruising mill should have taken place as was witnessed. Much anxiety has been evinced to ascertain the relative merits of the men, and money to a large amount was pending the issue of the battle. As the intended mill was connived at by the public authorities, the "boys" obtained permission to have the affair come off in the Park, that being the most eligible site that could be selected, all things considered. That spot was also chosen that our City Fathers might have an unobstructed view of the scientific display. The ring was arranged with commendable taste by the seconds of Wood, who paid $10 for the privilege. At 2 o'clock, all things being ripe for the great event in hand, Ferd. threw his cap into the ring, followed by Little Georgy Matsell and Jimmy Russell, two staunch and scientific supporters of the noble art. Draper was not long in following suit—he leaped the ropes with an agility that promised rare things, and was attended by Jimmy Smith and Nat. Tallmadge. Both parties were favorably received, although it was clearly apparent that the majority of the great throng in attendance were friends of Wood and Little Georgy. At half-past 3, all hands shook daddles in true artistic style, and then returned to their respective corners. A few moments more, and the word had gone forth—time was called—and these novices rose from their seconds' knees, and calmly approached the scratch for

THE FIGHT.

Round 1. Wood, to us, looked as though he had been over-trained, although to the casual observer this important fact was not apparent; he seemed rather uneasy on his pins, and anxious to get to work. Sim presented a more composed appearance, and his position was more artistic than that of his opponent, which was owing, we have since been informed, to some lessons he had taken from the renowned Billy King, of Albany. Wood had choice of corners, but as the sun refused to shine that day, this advantage availed him little. They sparred, feinted, retreated—again approached each other, but again retreated; neither appeared willing to commence offensive operations. At length they crept up towards each other, and as they neared, Sim motioned with his left, but Ferd was not to be drawn out so easily. Sim next tried a feint with his right, and Wood came near laying himself open, but Little Georgy gave him the "pint," and he got out of the threatened danger. Although this style of warfare may seem tedious to the reader, yet we can assure them it was a beautiful spectacle to the spectator, and drew down thunders of applause. Their tactics were of the most unique order, and reflected credit on their respective trainers. One hour had now elapsed, and not a blow struck. About this time, we could perceive a smile lurking around the mug of Wood, and we knew something was coming—both men were now well up to the scratch, and suddenly Wood made himself up for work, and got home with his right, beautifully, on Sim's knowledge-box, and sending him to grass like a shot. This round occupied two hours and forty minutes.

2. Sim appeared at the scratch in much better trim than had been expected—in fact it was generally supposed that the blow he received in the previous round had settled his hash for him, but it proved otherwise; there was a small contusion on the left side of his nob, which was the only perceptible mark to be seen about him; it would therefore appear that Wood's right was not as dangerous as had been anticipated. Wood, on coming up from this round, was all smiles; he was as fresh and lively as an eel, and little Georgy stood in his corner the very picture of pride and satisfaction. Sim looked determined, and doubtless intended to pitch in at the first opening, instead of making a waiting fight of it; he therefore cautiously advanced, sent out his left as a feeler, but was out of reach; he then put himself in a firm position, and awaited the onslaught of Ferd., who appeared to be making ready for a spring, but Ferd. was too wide awake for that; his acting on the defence in the last round had gained him an advantage, and he evidently did not intend to change his system. Sim, seeing this, determined to go in, and with a tremendous rush he closed on his opponent, but Ferd. was with him, and give and take was the order of the day for near an hour; Wood at length got his opponent's head in chancery, and punished him at a cruel rate, making him see hundreds of stars; Sim struggled with desperation, however, and occasionally got in a stunner on Wood's bread-basket; but still his head was there; Wood had him in a tight place, and rained down the blows upon the devoted head of his victim in a fearful manner—in vain Sim tried to free himself from the suit in chancery; the blood was streaming from his eyes, nose and mouth, [First blood for Wood,] and he was almost gone, but luckily Wood's hold suddenly loosened, and Sim gladly went to earth. Four hours had elapsed. It being now dark, the friends of Sim advised a postponement until the following day, but this was resisted by the Woodites, who insisted that there was plenty of daylight to finish the fight right off. The referee, Jonty Hall, was appealed to, and he at once decided that the fight should stand over until the following day. This decision was met with sneers by the Woodites, and cries of "He's bought over." "How much did you get?" "Did you sell yourself cheap, old hoss?" &c., &c. But as the referee's decision is final, there was no appeal, and the crowd dispersed.

THE SECOND DAY.—Wednesday, 17th, opened rich—both men were early on the ground, evidently prepared for a long day's work. At 10 o'clock, Wood shied his castor in the ring, attended as before by Little Georgy and Jimmy Russell; but on Sim entering the ring, we noticed that he had different attendants from those of the previous day; these were Billy King, from Albany, and Jim Sanford, both well known in pugilistic, political and military circles. Sim presented a bolder front than he did on the day previous, and the appearance of his head showed that he had been well nursed; for there were but few marks to be seen about his physog, though his nut was pretty well patched up. Not wishing to waste time, time was called, and the battle at once renewed by Sim going in with such an impetuosity, and in such a sudden manner, that poor Ferd was taken all aback, and could hardly tell whether he stood upon his head or heels—he retreated, but Sim went after him, getting in one, two, three, with effect Ferd attempted to counter, but Sim stopped him in a scientific manner. Wood tried to recover from the fearful position in which he thus found himself, but it was no go; his stamina was gone; it was bellows to mend with him; and as Sim saw the moment had arrived for him to give the finale, he sent out his right, catching poor Ferd a terrific blow just behind the left ear, which completely knocked him off his pins. [First knock down blow for Sim.] Time was called, but poor Ferd was deaf to the call—Little Georgy did all he could to revive his man, but in vain; Jimmy Russell rubbed him, and used every exertion to bring him to, but he was in a stupor from which it was impossible to arouse him, and the battle was accordingly awarded to Sim

REMARKS.

The suddenness of Sim's attack on the second day had a telling effect upon Wood, no doubt; but we predicted, the moment we saw King and Sanford enter the ring in company with Sim, that the battle was lost to Wood—a pallor o'erspread his whole exterior, and we observed that his limbs were shaky and unsteady—the mere fact of these two eminent bruisers having been secured to second his opponent, operated upon him like a dose of jalap, and he would have given up the contest had it not been for the persuasion of his own seconds. Had he depended more upon his own abilities, and ignored the presence of King and Sanford, we firmly believe he might have pulled through successfully, with the laurels of war upon his brow. But the fates conspired against him, and the victory perched upon the banner of his "White-street foe." A great deal of money was lost by the Woodites, as they had been betting 5 to 1 on the first day, and on the second the odds were in Wood's favor still more largely. The Woodites assert that there is something wrong about the affair, and that "Ferd," like Denny Horrigan, must have been dosed. Of this we know nothing—we merely give it as one of the current rumors of the day. Whether a fresh match will be brought about we cannot undertake to say at present.

THE TURF.

RACING AT THE NORTH.

IN our issue of the 13th we gave an account of a couple of races over the Fashion Course, Long Island, preparatory to the regular Spring meeting advertised for the ensuing Tuesday, and the three following days. Just before going to press we received information that Tuesday's races had been postponed, owing to unfavorable weather, but it seems we were misinformed, for the manager very unwisely concluded to commence the meeting with the commencement of a very disagreeable easterly storm of wind and rain, which continued until the Thursday following. In consequence of this error on the part of our Southern friend, the attendance was extremely meagre, and the racing of a dull and dreary character. But a few hundred persons were on the track, and everything wore the appearance of a pursuit of pleasure under the most distressing circumstances. The first race and its results were as follows:

Sweepstakes for three year olds, $300 subscription, $100 forfeit, with $300 added, mile heats, closed on the 1st of April with nine nominations, of which the following came to the stand:

Woodfolk & McDaniel named ch. c. Wickliffe, by imp. Glencoe, out of Motto by imp. Barefoot	1	1
P. C. Bush named ch. c. Babylon, by Belshazzar, dam by imp. Trustee	4	2
John Hunter named ch. c. Basvecchi, by imp. Glencoe, out of Castinet, by imp. Monarch	2	3
William H. Gibbon named ch. f. Mary Evelyn, by imp. Glencoe, out of Sally Ward, by John R. Grymes	3	4

THE RACE.—Betting in favor of Belshazzar, against any other one named—Wickliffe was of but little account among the knowing ones, and his performance came like a comet upon their understandings, and knocked them as high as a kite. Of the race itself there cannot be much said—in the first heat, Babylon got off with the lead, but received the go-by in turn from each of the others, and as they came round on the homestretch, it was seen that Wickliffe had the thing in hand, and came in a winner, followed by Basvecchi, then Mary Evelyn, and Babylon last. The second heat resulted in an easy triumph for Wickliffe, who thus won the heat and race, to the no small disappointment of the judges of turf matters.

Time—1:51; 1:50½.

SECOND RACE.—Immediately after the race of mile heats, came that for the Proprietor's purse $300, two mile heats, for which the following contended:

James Talley entered ch. m. Lucy Phillips, by Tally-ho, out of Betsy White, by Goliah, 5 years	1	1
O. P. Hare entered b. h. Toler, by Childe Harold, out of Marchioness, by imp. Rowton, 4 years	2	2
A. Maillard entered bl. c., by Mariner, out of Patsey Anthony, by imp. Priam, 4 years	dis.	
C. S. Lloyd entered b. m. Lilla, by imp. Trustee, dam imp. Glorianna by Memnon, 5 years	dis.	

Lucy and Toler gave the race what interest it possessed, the black colt and Lilla not making much of a show. Lucy proved the winner of both heats, without a great deal of exertion. Time—3:49; 3:54.

The depressing effects of the above races had their influence upon the manager of the meeting, who at once saw the error he had committed by beginning the sport in a storm, and upon the conclusion of Tuesday's races, thought it best to postpone further operations until the following Tuesday, 16th inst.

THE MEETING RESUMED.

On Tuesday, 16th, the meeting was resumed, but still under very unfavorable circumstances, the weather being lowery and disagreeable, and the excitement in the *city* detracting from what interest might otherwise have been manifested in regard to the races. The attendance, therefore, was but slim, and the racing of a mediocre character. There was not that lively spirit which we admire to see on a race track, and which assists in giving to the turf its excitement and interest. The day's proceedings opened with a race for the Proprietor's Purse, $700—three-mile heats:

James Talley enters gr. h. Engineer, by Revenue, out of Andrewetta, by Andrew, 5 years	1	1
Campbell and Barton enter b. g. Mat Spangler, by Tallo-ho, out of Seven-up, 4 years	2	2
O. P. Hare enters b. m. Etiquette, by Mariner, out of Fashion, by imp. Trustee, 4 years	3	dr

Time, 5:42½; 5:42½.

SAME DAY.—Proprietor's Purse, $200, mile heats:

David McDaniels enters br. h. Don Juan, by imp. Glencoe, out of Darkness, by Wagner ..... walked over.

Thus ended the second day of this protracted meeting. We did not, therefore, expect to find the third day much of an improvement, notwithstanding the brilliant promises made by the Herald, which seems to have taken an unusual interest in the success of this meeting. Wednesday, June 17, was cloudy, and threatening rain—this had a tendency to deter many from visiting the course; and although it was generally supposed that the sports of this, the closing day, would be of an unusually brilliant character, yet other matters combined to operate against a full attendance of lovers of this description of sport, and the closing was in striking contrast to the opening day, when several thousand persons were on the track—the last day's races were witnessed by comparatively few. The following is a summary of the day's proceedings:

WEDNESDAY, June 17.—Four-mile heats—Purse $1000.

John Hunter entered ch. g. Nicholas, by imp. Glencoe, out of Nannie Rhodes by Wagner, 4 years	1	1
Campbell and Barton entered ch. m. Lizzy McDonald, formerly Sue Washington, by Zinganee, 4 years	3	2
J. Talley entered ch. m. Lucy Phillips, by Tally-ho, out of Betsy White, 5 years	2	3

Time, 7:39; 7:44½.

SAME DAY.—Two-mile heats—Purse $500.

J. Talley entered g. h. Engineer, by Revenue, out of Andrewetta by Andrew, 5 years	2	1	1
D. McDaniels entered b. h. Don Juan, by imp. Glencoe, out of Darkness by Wagner, 4 years	1	3	2
Campbell and Barton entered b. g. Mat Spangler, by Tally-ho, out of Seven-up by Chateau Margaux, 4 years	3	2	3
C. L. Loyd entered b. m. Lilla, by imp. Trustee, out of imp. Glorlana by Memnon, 5 years	distanced		

Time, 3:42½; 3:43½; 3:45¼.

There was not sufficient interest attached to either race to require a detailed report thereof. For the four-mile purse, Nicholas won, easily. The two-mile heat was apparently more stoutly contested, Don Juan and Engineer dividing the attention of the spectators, although it was the general impression that Engineer would be the ultimate winner, and so it proved; and thus ended the Spring Meeting of 1857 over the Fashion Race Course, L. I.

CENTREVILLE COURSE, L. I.—MONDAY, June 15.—Match for $2000, two-mile heats, to wagons, wagon and driver to weigh 300 lbs.

H. Woodruff's b. g. John	2	1	1
John Cudney's b. g. Honest David	1	2	2

	First heat.	Second heat.	Third heat.
Time of 1st mile	2:36¾	2:40	2:40
Time of 2d mile	2:42½	2:47	2:46¼
Total time	5:19¼	5:27	5:26¼

THURSDAY, June 18.—Trotting match for $2000, mile heats, under the saddle.

W. Peabody named b. m. Rose of Washington	1	1
W. Woodruff named r. g. Tacony	2	2

Time, 2:30; 2:31.

A BIG RAT.—A house rat was captured in a house at East Boston yesterday, that measured sixteen inches from the tip of his tail to the end of his nose; entire length of the body was eleven inches, and in point of diameter was equal to an ordinary sized cat.—[Boston Bee.